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Protests of Kansas Legislature, Osage Indians and Others Futile.

NOT STANDARD DEAL

Illinois Legislature Passes Resolutions Which Are Hostile to Big Oil Company.

MONNETT TO ENTER THE FRAY

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Today Senator Long conferred with the president in regard to the protest of the Kansas legislature against the renewal of the blanket lease of 1,500,000 acres of oil lands of the Osage Indian reservations in Oklahoma territory, but reducing the number of acres to 680,000. The protest alleged that under the lease the lands were held by the Standard Oil Company through the Indian Territory Illuminating Company, a concern subsidiary to that corporation, but this is not the understanding of the president, the secretary of the interior or the members of the Kansas delegation in congress.

Senator Long Favors a Renewal.

The question was considered in the cabinet meeting today. Both the president and Secretary Hitchcock have received in letters and telegrams protests against the extension of the lease, because it is urged that oil rights practically are controlled by the Standard Oil Company. Many of the protests have come from Kansas, one being received today by the president from the Kansas legislature. It has been decided with the approval of the cabinet, that it would be unjust to some of the lessees, who have secured vested rights under contract with the Indians, not to extend the lease. Secretary Hitchcock told the cabinet it was not true that the 680,000 acres agreed upon under the proposed renewal included all of the oil lands in the Osage reservation. He said it was quite likely all of the lands contained oil.

Kansas Investigation Discussed.

The subject of the proposed investigation of the operations of the oil operators in the Kansas field, was discussed, but no definite conclusions, further than those already announced, were reached. The investigation will be conducted by the bureau of corporations under the direction of Commissioner Garfield. His report will be made to the president for transmission later to congress. It is quite certain that if the facts developed by the inquiry should warrant action by the government, the matter will be brought by the president to the attention of the department of justice.

An announcement was authorized that on the Osage lease matter the administration will stand by the limited extension contained in a senate amendment to the Indian appropriation bill.

The senate amendment, which was introduced by Senator Penrose, provides that any allotments which may be made of the Osage reservation in Oklahoma territory shall be made subject to the terms and conditions of a lease, dated March 16, 1896, given by the Osage nation to Edwin B. Foster. This lease was approved by the secretary of the interior and through assignments similarly approved is now owned by the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Company. The extension of the "Foster lease" for a term of 10 years is authorized by the amendment to the property actually developed under the original lease.

Lease Reduced to 680,000 Acres.

The lands developed amount to about 680,000 acres. No extension is authorized of the lease covering about 820,000 acres of the oil fields that remain undeveloped. Under the renewal authorized the lease will contain all of the conditions of the original lease, except that from and after March 16, 1906, the royalty to be paid on gas shall be $300 a year on each gas well, instead of $50.

William T. Leahy, member of a com-

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TAKING OUT THE VICTIMS

Thirty-Nine Bodies Recovered from the Mines at Virginia City, Ala.

HOPE IS ABANDONED

The 121 Persons Still Unrescued Have Probably Perished—Remains Mangled.

HUNDRED FAMILIES DESTITUTE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., Feb. 21.—Of the 160 miners of Virginia City who entered the mines yesterday afternoon, thus far only 50 bodies have been recovered. This precludes any idea that life may remain among the entombed victims.

With the first ominous rumble of the coming catastrophe, by common impulse every one in the village rushed to the mouth of the main slope. The scenes at the mines this afternoon were the most harrowing witnessed in the mining section of Alabama. The corpses were frightfully mangled and disfigured, and identification is almost impossible. Many of the bodies are so bruised, twisted and discolored that negroes cannot be told from white men.

All day long at the mouth of the mine were waiting and moaning women and children whose relatives were among the unfortunates. One hundred families and 300 children are left destitute by the calamity.

As the bodies of the victims, which in many cases have been gathered together a piece at a time, are brought to the surface, they are placed in rows on a rough, improvised platform. Late this afternoon ambulances began the removal of the bodies to Bessemer.

Since the list of dead probably will go to 160, the local undertakers have wired to adjoining cities for coffins, as it was found there were not enough suitable coffins in the district to bury the victims.

Out of the 50 bodies recovered, one was found about 4 o'clock this afternoon, in which there were flickering signs of life. The body was carefully taken from the mine, and heroic methods were resorted to to bring the man to consciousness. He is still alive, but scant hope is held for his recovery.

President Flinn of the United Mine Workers, said tonight:

"I shall be surprised if a single person escapes alive from that mine. Ventilation is very difficult, and if the men were not killed by the explosion they have certainly been suffocated by the gases. The bodies so far reached were in the main slope, and it will be several days before we can get to the rooms which branch off from the main slope."

President Flinn worked all last night, with a pick and shovel in the mine, and other mine officials were among the leaders in the rescue work. Conspicuous among those was W. R. Farley, member of the national executive board of the United Mine Workers from Alabama.

GRAND DUKE'S COACHMAN SUCCUMBS TO INJURIES

Sustained Many Wounds When His Master Met Death—Still Finding Grewsome Relics.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MOSCOW, Feb. 21.—The coachman who was driving the carriage in which Grand Duke Sergius was riding when he was assassinated, died today of his injuries. He sustained 76 distinct wounds.

There was a continuous procession of Muscovites today passing through the Kremlin gates to visit the Chudoff monastery and the scene of the tragedy in Senate square, pausing to cross themselves at the tall iron cross which has been erected at the exact spot where the assassination took place and before which a lamp is constantly burning, as before a shrine. Pieces of the carriage and other evidences of the tragedy are continually being found.

JOHN B. LARKIN,
Who Was Yesterday Re-elected Controller of the City of Pittsburgh.

MIDVALE TO MAKE PART OF ARMOR

Navy Department Changes Its Decision on Protest of the Company.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.

There was another change of front today in the navy department's position on the contract for armor for the battleship New Hampshire and the cruisers North Carolina and Montana. Secretary Morton had a conference with Vice President Sullivan and Supt. Petrie of the Midvale Steel Company of Philadelphia. The Midvale company bid $398 a ton. The Carnegie and Bethlehem steel companies bid at least $50 a ton higher, but were awarded a contract when a board of naval officers questioned the ability of the Midvale company to make satisfactory deliveries of contracts already held.

Capt. A. R. Couden and Lieutenant Commander Walter McLean of this board were at the conference today. A memorandum of the agreement reached was later made public:

"In view of the earnest protestations of officers of the Midvale Steel Company of their conviction that the company will be able to deliver all the armor assigned to it under contract of December 15, 1903, in such time as will leave it in a position to take up the manufacture of a part of the armor for which bids were opened on January 12, 1905, the secretary of the navy has determined, to the satisfaction of the Midvale company, to award to that company such part of the armor last bid upon, about 900 tons, as the company is confident it can deliver at the required time, without interfering with deliveries under its previous contract."

It successful, the company will be awarded 4,600 more tons.

State Flag for West Virginia.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 21.—A resolution to adopt a state flag consisting of a laurel branch in bloom in a field of white with a border of blue and yellow, was adopted by the house of delegates. West Virginia has never before had a state flag.

PROSECUTION FOR THE BEEF TRUST

Grand Jury Called to Take Up Alleged Violations of the Sherman Law.

LEADING MEN MAY FIGURE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Through the agency of a grand jury, called today specially for that purpose, the government is prosecuting the beef trust for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

United States District Attorney Bethea is said to be in possession of evidence supporting the charge that not a single packing firm has kept within the law during the last 12 months or more. It may develop that the packers have unwittingly violated the injunction, for their employes number thousands and comprise men of all degrees of intelligence.

The best information obtainable tonight is that agents of Armour, Swift and Morris have been doing business regardless of the law, in spite of admonitions from the heads of departments, and that Schwarzchild & Sulzberger have been the most flagrant offenders.

When a force of deputy marshals invaded the stock yards district this morning and began serving subpoenas on the employes Max J. Sulzberger, general manager of Schwarzchild & Sulzberger, called a hasty conference of the heads of the departments, the exact nature of which could not be ascertained. The indifference manifested by the other big packing firms to the presence of the deputy marshals afforded a striking contrast and went to confirm the rumor from New York that the federal authorities were more interested in Schwarzchild & Sulzberger than in any other packing firm.

It is understood that the question of illegal rebates by the railroads will form an important part of the evidence to be dug up by the grand jury.

There is another phase of the case. If the testimony taken by the grand jury should result in indictments or in disclosing that the injunction had been disregarded, then it can be taken before Judge Groscup, and he will doubtless act and heavily punish the members of the combination for contempt of his order, which was sustained by the United States supreme court.

Among those enjoined were these: J. Ogden Armour, Edward Morris, Ira Morris, Arthur Meeker, Charles F. Langdon, Edward A. Cudahy, Lou and F. Swift, D. Edwin Hartwell, Michael Cudahy, Lawrence A. Carter, Louis Pfaelzer, Ferdinand Sulzberger, Frank E. Vogel, William Russell, Edward C. Swift, W. H. Noyes, Nelson Morris, P. A. Valentine, Calvin M. Favorite, Thomas J. Connors, Albert F. Bochert, Jesse P. Lyman and Albert H. Vadder.

COUNT CASSINI SCOFFS AT RUMORS OF PEACE

With 400,000 Men in Field, Russia Cannot Even Consider Terms Proposed, the Ambassador Declares.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Count Cassini was tonight shown the Reuter dispatch from St. Petersburg setting forth terms of peace said to be now under discussion. Said the ambassador:

"That such terms could be under consideration or even discussed by a government which has 400,000 men in the field is too unreasonable for any one to believe.

"My latest information from St. Petersburg is that there has been no change whatever in the general policy of the government earnestly to prosecute the war. The reported occurrences in Russia have not altered this policy. Russia has made it plain to every one that she prefers peace with honor to war, but it has equally well shown that Russia prefers war to peace without honor."

Would Not Use America.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Whatever the Russians are discussing in the way of peace has not reached officials here. Mr. Takahira, minister from Japan, says that should Japan, strengthened as she is by the prestige of her many victories in the war, decided to take the initiative, she would make representations to Russia through Great Britain or France.

CZAR AT LAST TALKS PEACE

The Question Has Been Formally Discussed and Terms Outlined.

OFFER CONCESSIONS

They Include Nearly Everything That the Victorious Japanese Now Hold.

INDEMNITY IS A STICKLER

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Feb. 21.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from St. Petersburg says:

"The question of peace has not only been formally discussed, but the conditions on which Russia is prepared to make peace have practically been agreed upon. These are as follows:

"Korea to be placed under Japanese suzerainty.

"Port Arthur and the Liao-Tung peninsula to be ceded to Japan.

"Vladivostok to be declared a neutral port with an open door.

"The Eastern Chinese railroad to be placed under neutral international administration.

"Manchuria as far north as Harbin to be restored as an integral part of the Chinese empire.

"The difficulty lies in settling the question of indemnity, upon which it is known Japan insists, but it is thought that this difficulty is not insuperable.

Peace May Soon Come.

"The most trustworthy opinion at St. Petersburg is that in view of the internal situation and the enormous difficulty in carrying on the war, peace on the terms outlined will be concluded within a comparatively short time, if the indemnity question can be arranged, but it is quite possible Russia will risk another battle before a decision is reached."

A comparison of these terms with the Japanese offer indicates that Russia is practically willing to yield everything for which the war has been fought, and only balks at the indemnity. So complete an acknowledgment of defeat has rarely been made by a nation of the first class.

Concessions 1, 2 and 3 on this list are exactly in accordance with what the mikado has indicated to the government of the United States and Europe as what he would exact.

Concessions 4 and 5 form an alternative suggestion to Japan's proposition that the railroad as far as Harbin should be vested in Japan, with a strip one verst wide on each side of this line.

It is believed here that the terms are so worded to give a margin by which Russia can ultimately yield in the matter of Saghalien on condition of Japan's foregoing the indemnity, which it is believed is a possible compromise.

Minister Hayashi of Japan said tonight he considered the suggested terms highly interesting and important, but he added he was not aware of any new factor tending to induce Russia to make overtures, and had no intimation pointing to the conclusion of peace. Neither could he say what terms would be acceptable to Japan.

Czar Wants War Ended.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.—Persistent reports declare Emperor Nicholas not only has decided to convoke a representative body, but that he also is bent on making peace. He is represented to have taken this decision chiefly on the advice of Emperor William.

The conditions of peace which Russia can accept are freely discussed here. The only obstacle to peace is said to be the question of indemnity, which Russia will refuse to pay.

While peace reports are circulating, the information reaches here that Gen. Kuropatkin is industriously preparing to try final conclusions with Field Marshal Oyama, and that a decisive battle may be expected within a fortnight.

Capt. William B. Judson, U. S. A., and other foreign military attaches have been asked to leave Vladivostok. While no reason has been assigned, it is probable this action is in anticipation that operations will begin there as soon as spring opens.

According to latest reports, Emperor Nicholas is greatly dissatisfied with the conduct of Gen. Grippenberg, while the latter was in Manchuria, and that he has not only sustained Gen. Kuropatkin but has ordered Gen. Grippenberg to return to his post. It is gossip in court circles that Gen. Grippenberg's face was far from cheerful when he left the emperor's cabinet.

SLAIN BY YOUTH.

Ruffian Who Attempted to Intimidate Telegraph Operator Meets Tragic Death.

KENOVA, W. VA., Feb. 21.—J. P. Pyles, a telegraph operator on the N. & W. railroad, shot and killed a member of a gang of desperadoes who this morning attacked the station at Webb, on the new line up the Big Sandy river. He was subsequently smuggled out of the state to prevent his falling a victim to the wrath of friends of the dead man.

The dead man was one of a gang who descended upon the station with the purpose of terrorizing the young operator, a youth. They began their attack with a fusillade of bullets, which rained about the station, although none of them struck the operator. The latter opened fire upon the attacking forces, with the result that one of the desperadoes, whose name is not known, was instantly killed.

Editor Black Succeeds Bliss.

CHESTER, PA., Feb. 21.—Crosby M. Black, editor of the Chester Morning Republican, was today elected a member of the state house of representatives from Delaware county, to fill the unexpired term of the late Ward B. Bliss. Black's majority was a large one. His Democratic opponent was William H. Nelson.

JOHN B. LARKIN AGAIN CHOSEN

Is Re-Elected City Controller by Another Large Majority.

REASONS HE GIVES

Republican Candidate, Prof. A. C. McLean, Accepts His Defeat With Smiling Face.

FOUGHT FOR REPUBLICANISM

TOTAL VOTE FOR CONTROLLER.

John B. Larkin	21,174
Andrew C. McLean	11,929
Larkin's majority	9,145

Controller John B. Larkin is re-elected city controller of Pittsburgh. His victory was conceded last night by his Republican opponent, Andrew C. McLean, after a little more than half of the election districts had been heard from. The returns, coming from different parts of the city, showed so consistently that Mr. Larkin was again the choice of the people that it was only logical for the Republicans to concede his election, even at that early hour.

Then the Larkin majorities so far received seemed to indicate his election by a majority of 9,000. There was a chance that it might be reduced in case certain wards showed up different from those already in, but as there was no likelihood of such a contingency and there was a possibility that they could give Larkin even greater majorities or show larger Republican losses it was admitted at the Republican headquarters that his majority must eventually approach in magnitude that of 1902, if not exceed it.

Took His Defeat Gracefully.

Prof. McLean took his defeat standing up. He was in a room at the Republican headquarters while the returns were being received in the office of Chairman Leslie, and after it was settled that Larkin was the victor, he coolly sat down and dictated to a stenographer the following statement:

The people have decided that Mr. Larkin shall continue to be city controller, and I bow to the will of the people. Since accepting the nomination of the Republican city convention for city controller I have done my utmost to advance the cause of Republicanism and induce the people to vote for the restoration to power in this city of the Republicans because I honestly believed that to be in the interest of the people and of good government. While I am disappointed the pay now, I do not suffer from any personal disappointment and wish now to express my gratitude to the members of the Republican party, who have given me such hearty support, and I also wish to thank the press for the loyal support it has given me in this campaign.

Thanked the City Chairman.

Then Prof. McLean shook hands smilingly with the people at headquarters, with whom he had been in close touch since his campaign opened, and left for home. He took his defeat with a lighter heart than did many of the men at headquarters. Before going away Mr. McLean shook hands with the city chairman, Max G. Leslie, and personally thanked him for the hard work Mr. Leslie did and the many hours he spent in furthering the Republican cause.

Mr. Leslie, after conceding the election of the Citizens-Democratic-Orphans candidate, was asked what he thought about it and replied:

The result has been brought about by methods the character of which may be judged from the proceedings in court today. The Republican party stands committed to the prosecution of all violations of the election laws and will welcome the assistance and co-operation of all citizens and organizations. I desire to express appreciation for the hearty co-operation and assistance I have received during the campaign.

Mr. Leslie referred in his statement to the alleged intimidation and frauds practiced in several of the first 13 wards of the city.

Controller Larkin Is Gratified.

Controller Larkin made this statement:

I am no more grateful than thousands of taxpayers who were quite as much interested in the campaign as myself. Of course I am grateful to every friend who aided and assisted in bringing about the result, for it does one at least some good to feel that a three years' administration has been so heartily indorsed as has mine. I have an equally hearty appreciation of those taxpayers who looked to their own interest and by their votes protected themselves against a return of the ring domination, with all that means in the way of high taxes, poor government and unchecked public officials.

I have won a victory, of course, though it cannot rightly be called mine. It merely happened to be the man called by the people. I have abundant faith in our people. It matters not how many rings and bosses there may be the voters of Pittsburgh will rise to the occasion of their needs when they are properly aroused. We have passed the time of despotic bosses and a ring government. The people can and should assert themselves. Every time they have done it in our local as well as state government, they have bettered their conditions.

My policy during the next three years will be just as it has been in the past. I stand for just what I have always advocated. There will be no backsliding, no compromise for the wrongdoer, whoever he may be.

I am grateful to every man who helped secure my election and being a property owner, grateful to every property owner who voted in his own interest.

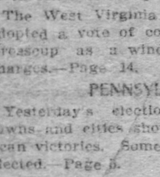
CONTROLLERSHIP VOTE REPORTED BY PRECINCTS

Detailed Showing of the Manner in Which Voting Was Done in Pittsburgh.

The unofficial returns on the vote cast for city controller in Pittsburgh, from the several precincts of the 29 wards, is as follows:

Ward and District.	Andrew C. McLean.	John B. Larkin.
First ward—First district	15	78
First ward—Second district	142	15
First ward—Third district	276	36
First ward—Fourth district	428	49
Second ward—First district	43	196
Second ward—Second district	37	90

THE WEATHER



Rain.

Rain today and snow and colder for tomorrow is the Washington observer's prediction for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 43 and the minimum 34 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:07 and set cloudy at 6:01 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time	Bar.	Tem	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.32	34	92	N.W.	Missing.
8 p. m.	30.21	38	85	S.W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for February 21:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	45	46	Mean	38	30
Minimum	34	27	Precipitation	T.	18

Nor. temp. 31 yrs. 34. Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .10
Excess for day.... 4 Dfcy. since Feb. 1. .92
Dfcy. since Feb. 1. 2.68 Dfcy. since Jan. 1. 1.71
Dfcy. since Jan. 1. 372

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Rain Wednesday; Thursday, snow flurries and colder; fresh south shifting to west winds.

West Virginia—Rain Wednesday; Thursday, fair.

Ohio—Rain and somewhat colder Wednesday; Thursday, fair; fresh northwest winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

St. Paul	38 Cloudy	New Orleans	60 Cloudy
Huron	42 Clear	Kansas City	48 Clear
Helena	52 PtCldy	Cincinnati	42 Cloudy
Duluth	26 Snow	Indianapolis	36 Clear
Denver	48 PtCldy	Washington	42 Cloudy
Memphis	50 Clear	Philadelphia	40 Clear
Chicago	34 Cloudy	New York	42 Clear
St. Louis	44 Clear	Buffalo	32 Clear
El Paso	60 Cloudy	Louisville	44 Clear
Omaha	44 Clear	Nashville	46 Clear
Cairo	48 Clear		

Bronchial Troubles are often permanently cured by Piso's Cure. Try it.

Father Pitt Patterns After Washington.

Ward and District.	Andrew C. McLean.	John B. Larkin.
Third ward—First district	15	85
Third ward—Second district	18	146
Fourth ward—First district	44	99
Fourth ward—Second district	49	82
Fifth ward—First district	49	229
Fifth ward—Second district	45	171
Fifth ward—Third district	77	103
Sixth—First district	97	108
Sixth—Second district	67	117
Sixth—Third district	51	101
Sixth—Fourth district	24	103
Sixth—Fifth district	60	148
Sixth—Sixth district	88	95
Sixth—Seventh district	16	92
Sixth—Eighth district	46	107
Seventh—First district	82	207
Seventh—Second district	79	185
Seventh—Third district	118	168
Seventh—Fourth district	89	167
Eighth—First district	78	221
Eighth—Second district	85	99
Eighth—Third district	71	177
Eighth—Fourth district	73	143
Eighth—Fifth district	71	154
Ninth—First district	70	219
Ninth—Second district	23	189
Ninth—Third district	22	134
Tenth—First district	23	241
Tenth—Second district	24	111
Eleventh ward—First district	70	152
Eleventh ward—Second district	111	122
Eleventh ward—Third district	136	102
Eleventh ward—Fourth district	130	147
Eleventh ward—Fifth district	104	59
Eleventh ward—Sixth district	178	141
Eleventh ward—Seventh district	118	117
Eleventh ward—Eighth district	89	158
Eleventh ward—Ninth district	56	106
Eleventh ward—Tenth district	82	70
Twelfth—First district	29	173
Twelfth—Second district	45	140
Twelfth—Third district	59	141
Twelfth—Fourth district	82	75
Twelfth—Fifth district	86	142
Twelfth—Sixth district	69	77
Thirteenth—First district	200	172
Thirteenth—Second district	130	204
Thirteenth—Third district	102	120
Thirteenth—Fourth district	120	154
Thirteenth—Fifth district	131	172
Thirteenth—Sixth district	87	239
Thirteenth—Seventh district	98	108
Thirteenth—Eighth district	105	162
Thirteenth—Ninth district	49	94
Thirteenth—Tenth district	82	76
Thirteenth—Eleventh district	121	54
Thirteenth—Twelfth district	119	90
Thirteenth—Thirteenth district	144	200
Thirteenth—Fourteenth district	52	137
Fourteenth—First district	40	89
Fourteenth—Second district	66	108
Fourteenth—Third district	121	115
Fourteenth—Fourth district	90	89
Fourteenth—Fifth district	113	186
Fourteenth—Sixth district	104	116
Fourteenth—Seventh district	116	201
Fourteenth—Eighth district	65	100
Fourteenth—Ninth district	106	153
Fourteenth—Tenth district	102	106
Fourteenth—Eleventh district	104	64
Fourteenth—Twelfth district	99	113
Fourteenth—Thirteenth district	178	164
Fourteenth—Fourteenth district	59	98
Fourteenth—Fifteenth district	82	97
Fourteenth—Sixteenth district	108	131
Fifteenth ward—First district	94	121
Fifteenth ward—Second district	53	130
Fifteenth ward—Third district	96	109
Fifteenth ward—Fourth district	123	108
Sixteenth—First district	128	75
Sixteenth—Second district	61	123
Sixteenth—Third district	111	107
Sixteenth—Fourth district	81	143
Sixteenth—Fifth district	104	78
Sixteenth—Sixth district	111	99
Sixteenth—Seventh district	104	124
Sixteenth—Eighth district	171	138
Sixteenth—Ninth district	55	52
Sixteenth—Tenth district	111	112
Seventeenth ward—First district	135	121
Seventeenth ward—Second district	118	95
Seventeenth ward—Third district	195	120
Seventeenth ward—Fourth district	82	75
Seventeenth ward—Fifth district	135	63
Seventeenth ward—Sixth district	178	162
Seventeenth ward—Seventh district	212	198
Seventeenth ward—Eighth district	131	135
Seventeenth ward—Ninth district	65	58
Seventeenth ward—Tenth district	46	16
Seventeenth ward—Eleventh district	61	79
Eighteenth—First district	153	153
Eighteenth—Second district	119	148
Eighteenth—Third district	82	230
Eighteenth—Fourth district	81	88
Eighteenth—Fifth district	72	102
Eighteenth—Sixth district	160	147
Eighteenth—Seventh district	98	153
Nineteenth—First district	55	138
Nineteenth—Second district	94	142
Nineteenth—Third district	40	151
Nineteenth—Fourth district	80	102
Nineteenth—Fifth district	115	128
Nineteenth—Sixth district	17	23
Nineteenth—Seventh district	127	102
Nineteenth—Eighth district	141	105
Nineteenth—Ninth district	58	100
Nineteenth—Tenth district	59	132
Nineteenth—Eleventh district	136	108
Nineteenth—Twelfth district	214	164
Nineteenth—Thirteenth district	108	194
Nineteenth—Fourteenth district	116	175
Nineteenth—Fifteenth district	58	71
Twentieth—First district	58	164
Twentieth—Seventh district	59	128
Twentieth—Eighth district	33	91
Twentieth—Ninth district	41	123
Twentieth—Tenth district	71	172
Twentieth—Eleventh district	68	105
Twentieth—Twelfth district	86	123
Twentieth—Thirteenth district	43	114
Twentieth—Fourteenth district	142	141
Twentieth—Fifteenth district	79	101
Twenty-first ward—First district	120	128
Twenty-first ward—Second district	66	72
Twenty-first ward—Third district	75	136
Twenty-first ward—Fourth district	75	234
Twenty-first ward—Fifth district	50	145
Twenty-first ward—Sixth district	90	186
Twenty-first ward—Seventh district	137	199
Twenty-first ward—Eighth district	152	190
Twenty-first ward—Ninth district	105	104
Twenty-first ward—Tenth district	160	134
Twenty-first ward—Eleventh district	90	220
Twenty-first ward—Twelfth district	135	206
Twenty-first ward—Thirteenth district	179	202
Twenty-first ward—Fourteenth dist	188	160
Twenty-second ward—First district	50	82
Twenty-second ward—Second district	42	90
Twenty-second ward—Third district	66	173
Twenty-second ward—Fourth district	89	44
Twenty-second ward—Fifth district	29	78
Twenty-second ward—Sixth district	98	122
Twenty-second ward—Seventh district	73	81
Twenty-fourth ward—First district	54	64
Twenty-fourth ward—Second district	74	156
Twenty-fourth ward—Third district	86	174
Twenty-fourth ward—Fourth district	51	140
Twenty-fourth ward—Fifth district	28	89
Twenty-third—First district	79	79
Twenty-third—Second district	116	145
Twenty-third—Third district	104	143
Twenty-third—Fourth district	82	161
Twenty-third—Fifth district	105	86
Twenty-third—Sixth district	135	150
Twenty-third—Seventh district	121	104
Twenty-third—Eighth district	73	61
Twenty-third—Ninth district	93	117
Twenty-third—Tenth district	73	115
Twenty-third—Eleventh district	112	98
Twenty-third—Twelfth district	94	85
Twenty-third—Thirteenth district	91	148
Twenty-third—Fourteenth district	58	97
Twenty-fifth ward—First district	113	125
Twenty-fifth ward—Second district	134	149
Twenty-fifth ward—Third district	64	96
Twenty-fifth ward—Fourth district	88	117
Twenty-fifth ward—Fifth district	151	165
Twenty-sixth—First district	93	121
Twenty-sixth—Second district	125	119
Twenty-sixth—Third district	131	120
Twenty-sixth—Fourth district	102	70
Twenty-sixth—Fifth district	189	109
Twenty-sixth—Sixth district	94	53
Twenty-seventh—First district	64	91
Twenty-seventh—Second district	44	202
Twenty-seventh—Third district	57	229
Twenty-seventh—Fourth district	42	152
Twenty-seventh—Fifth district	86	187
Twenty-seventh—Sixth district	75	183
Twenty-seventh—Seventh district	57	130
Twenty-eighth—First district	57	92
Twenty-eighth—Second district	96	112
Twenty-eighth—Third district	82	88
Twenty-eighth—Fourth district	75	82
Twenty-eighth—Fifth district	92	81
Twenty-ninth—First district	173	99
Twenty-ninth—Second district	183	66
Thirtieth—First district	42	175
Thirtieth—Second district	21	78
Thirtieth—Third district	52	164
Thirty-first—First district	188	180
Thirty-first—Second district	140	162
Thirty-first—Third district	95	140
Thirty-first—Fourth district	90	79
Thirty-first—Fifth district	90	128
Thirty-third—First district	24	84
Thirty-second—First district	113	171
Thirty-second—Second district	116	133
Thirty-second—Third district	69	226
Thirty-second—Fourth district	165	141
Thirty-second—Fifth district	102	141
Thirty-second—Sixth district	84	178
Thirty-second—Seventh district	94	145
Thirty-second—Eighth district	69	115
Fourth—First district	24	113
Thirty-fourth—Second district	83	56
Thirty-fifth—First district	172	207
Thirty-fifth—Second district	117	198
Thirty-fifth—Third district	158	187
Thirty-sixth—First district	62	196
Thirty-sixth—Second district	108	140
Thirty-sixth—Third district	90	130
Thirty-sixth—Fourth district	45	85
Thirty-seventh—First district	67	49
Thirty-seventh—Second district	94	64
Thirty-seventh—Third district	108	71
Thirty-seventh—Fourth district	85	42
Thirty-seventh—Fifth district	44	34
Thirty-seventh—Sixth district	69	29
Thirty-seventh—Seventh district	57	22
Thirty-seventh—Eighth district	24	15
Thirty-eighth—First district	129	173
Thirty-eighth—Second district	159	225
Thirty-ninth ward	309	419

COLDS LEAD TO PNEUMONIA

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DIED.

WILSON—At midnight, Tuesday, February 21, 1905, LAURA SERN, daughter of Joseph C. and Laura Anna Hunter Wilson, of 205 Fifty-seventh street.

Notice of funeral later.

(Butler and Blairsville papers please copy.)

The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield St. and Fourth Ave., founded in 1867, is intended for all—the poor and the rich, old and young, men, women and children. Pays 4 per cent interest.

WYMAN MACHINE WON FOUR FIGHTS

Court Will Probe Charges of Fraud in Administration Methods in the First Ward.

REPEATERS WERE NUMEROUS

Charges of fraud are made by the Republican committe of the First ward, Allegheny, against the election boards in the First, Third, and Fourth precincts. It is asserted that 200 repeaters were in the ward during the day and that a great many of them were voted by the administration workers in these districts. Attorneys Thomas P. Trimble and William C. Gill will go into court this morning in behalf of the ward committee.

The result of the election in the First ward was an administration victory. Magistrate Samuel Abernathey, the Wyman candidate for alderman, has a majority of 90 votes over George England, Republican-Democrat. The Republicans claim that had a square deal been given England would have been the winner easily. When the polls closed last night the overseers in the First, Third and Fourth districts refused to sign the election papers on the grounds that fraud had been perpetrated and that the returns did not represent an honest count of the votes in the ward.

There was little trouble at the polling places aside from some first fights and challenges made by Republican watchers and overseers.

Policemen at the Polls.

When teh polls opened 50 policemen were stationed at the six voting places and scores of the payroll crowded about all day vouching for those whose right to vote was questioned. Mayor Wyman remained in the First ward almost all day and did considerable hustling for the ring candidates. The vigilance of the Republicans in the Second, Fifth and Sixth precincts, it is said, prevented the voting of repeaters.

The First district is Abernathey's home precinct. England had no workers there. The Third and Fourth polling places are at the First ward school building and the fighting between the Republicans and the administration workers continued there all day.

The Republicans claim that many men whose names were erased from the padded registry list in the Fourth district by the courts, were voted, despite the protests of Republican watchers. When repeaters failed to vote at the Third district they were taken to the Fourth and, it is said, succeeded in almost every instance in casting a ballot. Chairman John Milloy of the ward Republican committee said last night.

Republicans Had no Chance.

"We had no chance at the First, Third and Fourth districts because of the large numbers of police and payroll workers. We were simply overwhelmed and pealized early in the da ythat we could not get a square deal. We kept close watch on every trick that was played, though, and we are ready to go into court tomorrow with our protest. England would have won easily if repeaters had not been used. There were at least 200 of them in the ward during the day."

Controller James Brown was re-elected without opposition, except that from F. L. Schwartz, Socialist, whose vote was trifling.

The administration won the fight in the Thirteenth ward, Justus Schroedel defeating John Hock by almost 300 plurality.

Thomas McBride, Republican-Democrat, had more than twice as many votes in the Fifth ward as Dr. H. S. Campbell for select council. Campbell was backed by the administration, but evidently was not popular with the payroll, for his support was half-hearted.

Another shock was given the machine in the defeat of John R. Henricks, who was running for common council in the Eleventh ward. Mr. Henricks has been Wyman's floor leader in the common branch for the past two years and his loss is a sore one to the administration.

Money Used in the Seventh.

With unlimited money dumped into the Seventh ward by a big corporation, George J. Gelz, Jr., won the fight for select council over Peter Born. The latter was on the Republican, Democratic, Citizens and Independent tickets, but could not overcome the influence of the funds used against him.

O. C. Greenawalt, the administration candidate for select in the Fourteenth ward, defeated Phil C. Rafferty, Republican, by 28 votes, and in the Fifteenth ward Richard Armstrong, Citizen, was elected to select, defeating Enoch James, the Republican candidate. The fight in this ward wah unusually sharp. Armstrong is a close friend of Director Scandrett. George E. Dietz was put into the contest by the city hall people to split James' vote and the strength of the Republican ticket was weakened by the three-cornered fight. Had Dietz not been in the contest, a victory for the Republicans would have resulted. Edwin Rothpletz, who was running on the ring ticket against John W. McDonagh, Republican, won by 4 votes.

The manner in which Councilman Charles P. Bernhart won in the Third ward was a disappointment to Mayor Wyman. The latter gave orders that Bernhart be beaten and the payroll worked earnestly against him. The city hall people had no ticker in the ward, but the payroll efforts were given in behalf of Louis Seethaler, the lone Orphan of Allegheny.

Bernhart Developed Great Strength.

It was the intention to defeat Bernhart and elect Seethaler. Bernhart, however, developed remarkable strength and ran very well in the count. Mrs. Margaret Negley, who ran for school director on the Socialist ticket in the Third ward, got very few votes. John Voekler, who ran for common council on the Democratic ticket in the Fourth ward, was badly beaten.

In the Second, Eighth, Tenth and Twelfth wards there was no opposition to the Republican ticket and in the Ninth ward the Democratic ticket was elected without opposition.

The vote on the proposed bond issues was light and there was little opposition to them. They provide for the issue of $500,000 bonds for improvements and the payment of contractors' claims.

The vote in the wards where there were contests was unusually heavy, but the total vote cast will fall below the normal because of the lack of interest in wards where there were no contests. The result of the elections in the 15 wards follows:

Select Council.

Second ward—Francis J. Torrance, R. No opposition.

Ninth ward—M. J. Brown, R. and Dem. No opposition.

Eleventh ward—John C. Oliver, R. No opposition.

Common Council.

First ward—William G. Adair and Jesse H. Leasley, C. I.

Second ward—Joseph C. Pearce, R.; Robert W. Alston, R.; Harry H. Hipwell, R.; Samuel McElroy, R.; John S. Miller, R. No opposition.

Third ward—William F. Billinger, R.; Jacob P. Bopp, R.; L. W. Stahle, R.; C. D. Wettach, R.; C. P. Bernhard, R.

Fourth ward—Daniel A. Maille, R. D.; H. R. Bloedel, R. D.; William Farvel, R. D.; Charles Murray, R.

Fifth ward—F. B. Fredericks, Thomas McHenry, John M. Ort, R. C. D. No opposition.

Sixth ward—Robert K. Cochrane, R.; Thomas W. Harvey, R.; W. H. Richey, R.; W. G. Frederick, R.

Eighth ward—Adam Schnitzer, R. and D. No opposition.

Ninth ward—John H. Keane, R. and D.; C. E. Woods, R. and D. No opposition.

Tenth ward—Thomas G. Lambert, R.; George W. Snaman, R.

Eleventh ward—Edward G. Lang, R.; William Morrison, R.; S. J. Casement, R.

Twelfth ward—Fred Herring, R. and D.; John G. Stewart, R. No opposition.

Fourteenth ward—Samuel F. Boyd, R., D. and I. No opposition.

Fifteenth ward—Erwin Rothplatz, D. C.

School Directors.

School directors were elected in all Allegheny wards as follows:

First ward—John R. Willis, C., I., and Joseph L. Richards, C., I.

Third ward—A. C. Latimer, R. and D.; Theodore G. Wettach, R. and D. No opposition.

Fourth ward—Louis Mendel, R. and D.; D. B. Watson, R. and D.; H. K. Werner, R. and D., one-year term. No opposition.

Fifth ward—William Pennington, R. and D.; J. R. Reed, R. and D.; Kate Cassett MacKnight, R. and D., two-year term. No opposition.

Seventh ward—William S. Genter, R., D. and C.; Louis Yeager, R., D. and C. No opposition.

Eighth ward—Ansel Schweitzer, R. and D.; Harry C. Geiger, R. and D. No opposition.

Ninth ward—Fred Schmitt, R. and D.; Andrew Burk, R. and D. No opposition.

Tenth ward—Edward M. Hauch, R.; Chris S. Knaur, R. No opposition.

Eleventh ward—David E. Oliver, R., D., C. and I.; Harry C. Miller, R., D., C. and I. No opposition.

Twelfth ward—Christ Reukauf, R. and D.; William Hoegel, R. and D. No opposition.

Thirteenth ward—John P. Koch, Anti-Ring, C. and I.; John B. Tress, Anti-Ring, C. and I. No opposition.

Fifteenth ward—Rev. D. S. Kennedy, R., P., and A. L. Hamilton, D., C.

Aldermen Elected.

Second ward—David McKelvey, R. No opposition.

Fifth ward—C. W. Lighthill, Union. No opposition.

Seventh ward—Adam Stark, R., D., C. and I. No opposition.

Thirteenth ward—Peter Bolster, R., anti-ring C. and I. No opposition.

Constables Elected.

Constables were elected in all wards as follows:

Second ward—Robert Alexander, R. No opposition.

Third ward—Charles Buscha, R. and D. No opposition.

Fourth ward—John Michel, R. and D. No opposition.

Fifth ward—George Henderson, R. and D. No opposition.

Sixth ward—Joseph Harper, R. No opposition.

Seventh ward—John Berges, R., D., C. and I. No opposition.

Eighth ward—William Swaney, R. and D. No opposition.

Tenth ward—E. H. Jonas, R. No opposition.

Twelfth ward—John F. Simon, R. and D. No opposition.

Fifteenth ward—George E. Webb, R. and P. No opposition.

Assessors Elected.

Assessors were elected in each ward as follows:

Second ward—C. B. Milligan, R. No opposition.

Third ward—Christ Saam, R. and D. No opposition.

Fourth ward—William Harper, R. and D. No opposition.

Fifth ward—John P. Kennedy, R. No opposition.

Seventh ward—Alfred J. Reinard, R., D., Cit. and Ind. No opposition.

Eighth ward—George Wolf, R. and D. No opposition.

Tenth ward—George F. Conley, R. No opposition.

Eleventh ward—I. Morrow, R., D., Cit. and Ind. No opposition.

Twelfth ward—Jacob Martin, R. and D. No opposition.

Fifteenth ward—August Miller, R., D. and Ind. No opposition.

VOTE BY WARDS AS CAST FOR M'LEAN AND LARKIN

Returns Show That Larkin Had an Easy Thing of It in Being Re-Elected.

The total of the vote for city controller of Pittsburgh, by wards, was as follows:

WARD.	Andrew C. McLean.	John B. Larkin.
First ward	407	83
Second ward	84	249
Third ward	60	241
Fourth ward	93	131
Fifth ward	121	503
Sixth ward	403	922
Seventh ward	363	727
Eighth ward	288	784
Ninth ward	75	492
Tenth ward	47	652
Eleventh ward	1002	1142
Twelfth ward	501	1161
Thirteenth ward	1385	1922
Fourteenth ward	1515	1916
Fifteenth ward	386	547
Sixteenth ward	937	1043
Seventeenth ward	1538	1121
Eighteenth ward	753	976
Nineteenth ward	1443	1516
Twentieth ward	1251	2166
Twenty-first ward	1518	2346
Twenty-second ward	453	610
Twenty-third ward	1288	1519
Twenty-fourth ward	295	814
Twenty-fifth ward	550	652
Twenty-sixth ward	766	617
Twenty-seventh ward	425	1219
Twenty-eighth ward	502	417
Twenty-ninth ward	514	244
Thirtieth ward	115	417
Thirty-first ward	623	670
Thirty-second ward	740	1229
Thirty-third ward	54	84
Thirty-fourth ward	118	169
Thirty-fifth ward	427	624
Thirty-sixth ward	305	481
Thirty-seventh ward	543	328
Thirty-eighth ward	288	208
Thirty-ninth ward	309	419
Total	22029	31174

Larkins majority, 9,145.

ALPERN DEFEATS BARTON BADLY FOR ALDERMAN

Kerr Is the Probable Winner in the Fifteenth Ward—Other Close Contests in the City.

Aldermen elected are as follows:

Second ward—J. V. McMasters, R., D. and C.

Seventh ward—Louis Alpern, C. and Orp., was the winner over R. C. Barton and Harry J. Clair. Alpern polled 718 votes against Barton 347 and Clair 153.

Fourteenth ward—Charles Kaltenhauser, R.

Fifteenth ward—With two districts missing, Jacob Hartman, D. C., was running behind the ward ticket, with a chance for the election of Samuel F. Kerr.

Nineteenth ward—E. C. Negley, R., C., D. and Orp.

Twenty-second ward—Edward G. Steinmert, R.

Twenty-third ward—D. C. Beatty, D., C., Orp. and C.

Twenty-seventh ward—L. J. Weltzheiser, D. and C.

Twenty-ninth ward—Thomas Edgar, R.

Thirtieth ward—F. M. King, D., C.

Thirty-fourth ward—Charles C. McGovern, R., D. and C.

Thirty-seventh ward—William Robinson, no opposition.

Thirty-ninth ward—E. W. Stauffer, R.

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mittee of Osage Indians, made a statement today asserting that the Indians were not allowed to make personal protest against renewal of the leases of their oil lands to the Indian Territory Illuminating Company; that the original lease to E. B. Foster was made over the protest of the Indians; that Secretary Hitchcock made a mistake when he said that the Osages consented to his present plan of renewing the lease, and that the president ought at once to investigate this whole matter.

The Osages say there is absolutely no need of hurry, as the present leases will not expire until another congress meets and that the position of the secretary of the interior is deceptive inasmuch as although he says that he will make a new lease, not of the whole amount of 1,500,000 acres, but of only about 600,000 acres, yet this latter acreage is the one that contains all the oil that the Standard company wants.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Feb. 21.—The house today adopted two resolutions affecting the Standard Oil Company.

One resolution offers to loan the state of Kansas $100,000 without interest for six years, to aid in establishing a state oil refinery and refers to the Standard Oil Company as that "merciless octopus whose tentacles now encircle every state in the union." The resolution was adopted by a close viva voce vote amid considerable confusion and laughter.

The other resolution asks for an investigation of the laying of pipe lines through Illinois by the Standard Oil Company and provides for the appointment of a joint commission to confer with the state officials of Kansas to agree on steps to be taken toward declaring such pipe lines common carriers.

This resolution was adopted without a dissenting vote. As the resolution is a joint one no action will be taken by Speaker Shurtleff until the senate has acted upon it.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 21.—Ohio's former attorney general, Frank Monnett, will leave for Kansas tomorrow night to investigate the oil situation there for the American Anti-Trust association of Chicago.

Situation Seekers

read particulars on classified want page today.

COUP WAS FATAL TO DANIEL DWYER

Republican Election Officer Fell Dead When Arrested at Instigation of Citizens.

ARRESTS FOR ILLEGAL VOTING

One of the big sensations connected with yesterday's voting took place in the Fourteenth district of the Thirteenth ward, early in the day. It is alleged that the ballot box was stuffed with McLean ballots previous to the opening of the polls. There is a dispute on as to where these ballots came from. Some say the city administration prepared a coup in the district by stuffing the ballot box before the polls opened, then arranging to have the box examined. Upon the discovery of the fraudulent ballots the cry was raised that the election board had stuffed the ballot box in the interest of the Republicans. The election officers were arrested by the police and the shock caused the death of Daniel Dwyer, aged 55, who was a sufferer from heart disease.

In their desperate effort to place the blame on the Republicans, the police spread the story that upon Dwyer's corpse were found 50 official ballots, already marked for McLean. The arrest of the board resulted in the closing of the polls, and about 10 o'clock the conspiracy was finally rounded out by the election from among the crowd surrounding the polls of a new election board, controlled by the followers of the city administration. The Republican election board had been locked up.

The story with the dramatic ending began shortly after 7 o'clock. Thomas W. Davis, the Republican inspector, prepared to be the first to vote. He took a ballot, retired to the booth, marked it and stepped up to the box to deposit it.

Cue Was Promptly Taken.

Immediately Patrick Campbell, the Democratic overseer, demanded that the box be opened to see if any fraudulent ballots had already been deposited. The request was instantly allowed and nearly 100 ballots, marked for McLean, were found under a false bottom in the box. Suddenly 20 policemen appeared, showing that the comedy that became a tragedy had been rehearsed beforehand, and Campbell demanded that the election board be arrested.

The policemen arrested Davis and the other members of the board, James C. Smith, John Schoepper, Charles Crawford and Thomas Burns, and took them to the central police station. While the wagon was away Dwyer and Thomas Jones, a constable, were arrested and taken to the patrol box. Suddenly Dwyer fell to the ground unconscious, and Dr. F. A. Rhodes was summoned. It was impossible to revive Dwyer and he was placed in the patrol wagon. He died in a few minutes and the body was taken to the morgue. The police say he was searched in the wagon and 50 official ballots marked for McLean were found in his pocket. Fifty ballots would make a bulky package and men who saw Dwyer when he was arrested, say there was no suspicious bulging about his person. Dwyer was a gardener and lived at No. 571 Bellefield avenue.

Smith was released on $1,000 for a hearing this morning, while the others were kept in the cells.

Other Arrests in the Thirteenth.

Andrew Rettinger of the Thirteenth ward was arrested on the charge of perjury and violation of the election laws. The evidence on which Rettinger was prosecuted was given by a negro, J. Arthur, who was sent to jail charged with illegal voting. The information against Rettinger was prepared by Assistant District Attorney W. D. Grimes and sworn to before Alderman McMasters.

Arthur was arrested about 3 o'clock, after he had voted. At Alderman McMasters' office he said a negro, "Jim" Johnson, had coaxed him to vote, although he told Johnson that he was not registered in that district. Johnson, he said, took him into the polling place in the second district of the ward, and he voted, Rettinger vouching that he was a legally qualified voter.

After Arthur was arrested he offered to show McClelland that he lived in the district, but led him clear into the Eleventh ward and pointed out the house where he lived. It was a plain case of illegal voting, by the man's own statement.

A warrant was sworn out for Johnson, who also vouched for Arthur.

Charged With Impersonation.

John H. Fuge of 617 Brownsville avenue was arrested at the polling place located in No. 14 engine house, Fourteenth ward, on Neville street, yesterday afternoon on complaint of W. H. Stevenson. He had a tax receipt made out in the name of Harry Rook, who is registered as a gentleman living on Craig street, on which Fuge tried to vote. He is only 20 years old. He was sent in to Central police station.

In the Seventh district, Thirteenth ward polling place some difficulty was found in organizing the election board, when Prof. John Golden, principal of the Minersville school and a former Republican leader in the district, is alleged to have tried to have a Citizen adherant appointed judge of elections. Golden's son, Edward Golden, was an inspector on the board and he sided in the argument over the selection of a judge with his father and the Citizen members. Edward Stanton was finally appointed judge by the Republicans. The casting of ballots was delayed till about 8:00 a. m., because of the dispute.

In the Sixth district of the Thirteenth ward the polls had to be closed for about five minutes in order to settle a dispute about the age of a man who attempted to vote. A deputy sheriff was called in to help settle the matter.

Jacob Worth's Sudden Death.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., Feb. 21.—Senator Jacob Worth of Brooklyn, a New York politician and race horse owner, who is well-known throughout the east, after spending the afternoon at Oaklawn track, died suddenly of heart disease at a hotel here tonight. His remains will be shipped to New York.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Feb. 21.

New York—Bluecher, from Hamburg; Perugia, from Naples; Ryndam, from Rotterdam.

Gibraltar—Neckar, from New York.

Antwerp—Etonian, from Philadelphia (via London); Zeeland, from New York.

Santiago—Princessin Victoria Luiz, from New York (via St. Thomas, etc., on cruise).

Auckland—Sonoma, from San Francisco (via Honolulu, for Sydney).

Napies—Algeria, from New York (via Marseilles and Leghorn).

Piraeus—Arabic, from New York (via Funchal, Gibraltar, etc., on cruise).

Queenstown—Oceanic, from New York (for Liverpool).

Sailed, Feb. 21.

New York—Georgic, for Liverpool; Kron Prinz Wilhelm, for Bremen (via Plymouth and Cherbourg); Pennonia, for Naples, Trieste, etc.

Palermo—Lombardia (from Genoa), for New York.

Yokohama—Empress of India (from Hongkong), for Vancouver.

Passed, Feb. 21.

Brow Head—Oceanic, from New York, for Liverpool, via Queenstown.

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Sarsaparilla enjoys the distinction of being the greatest curative and preventive medicine the world has ever known. It is an all-round medicine, producing its unequalled effects by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood on which the health and strength of every organ, bone and tissue depend. Accept no substitute for Hood's, but insist on having Hood's AND ONLY HOOD'S.

LARKIN SAYS HE WON'T BE MAYOR

Announces He Will Run Again for Controller Three Years Hence.

JOHN F. STEEL IS PROPOSED

Controller Larkin sat in his office at the city hall all day yesterday, receiving news regarding the progress of the election. On the floor above him, in the mayor's private office, Mayor Hays, Murry A. Verner and Director Bigelow were in close conference and communicating frequently with their lieutenants in all parts of the city.

Controller Larkin made a number of trips to the mayor's office and talked with his three political allies about his prospects. Sometimes the controller's assistant, E. S. Morrow, went upstairs to take some word that the controller had received and to get from Messrs. Hays, Verner and Bigelow their latest encouragement.

While the controller was seated in his office, after one of his trips to the mayor's office, he was in a jovial mood and paid his political associates upstairs a high compliment.

"This is the greatest administration that was ever in this city hall," he said.

Discussing his campaign he said: "Do you know that it is an awful experience to be a candidate. No person can imagine what it is until they go through it. Notwithstanding this, I will go through it again three years from now, if I live."

It was suggested that he might not wait for three years to elapse but might be a candidate for mayor next year.

"No, I will not be a candidate for mayor," he replied. "I believe I have some talent for this office, but I do not believe I would make a good mayor."

At this moment the telephone rang and Assistant Controller Morrow brought back the news that the East End was going heavily for Larkin. The controller received this information with a "that-does-not-surprise-me expression. "Oh, I suppose McLean will get some votes," he remarked.

Several times during the day, George W. Guthrie, the chairman of the Democratic city committee, called to see the controller to discuss reports of the election.

In anticipation of a victory yesterday, Bigelow men were boastful of electing their candidate for mayor next year, and declared that John F. Steel, city treasurer, would be the administration candidate.

FEW CONTESTS FOR OFFICES OF CONSTABLE

Lauler Defeats Hill, Present Incumbent in Twentieth Ward—Sabbath Crusader Loses.

Constables elected are as follows:

First ward—Thomas Joyce, R. and D.

Second ward—W. J. Morris, R., D. and C.

Third ward—F. J. Kavanaugh, R., D. and C.

Fourth ward—James J. Heyce, R. and D.

Fifth ward—Joseph Thompson, R., D. and C.

Sixth ward—J. Kimmel, R., D., C. and Orp.

Seventh ward—J. E. Glenn, C., D. and Orp.

Eighth ward—John Gray, R. and C.

Ninth ward—Thomas L. Tobin, D. and C.

Eleventh ward—Abe Groetsteth, R.

Twelfth ward—George Kramer, R., D. and C.

Fourteenth ward—Harry Oakley, R.

Fifteenth ward—Joseph Ashton, D. and C.

Sixteenth ward—Robert J. Roy, R.

Seventeenth ward—Frank H. Scott, R. and C.

Eighteenth ward—Arch. M. Miller, D. and C.

Twentieth ward—John D. Lauler, D. and C., defeated William R. Hill, R. and C., the present incumbent.

Twenty-first ward—Harry H. Lewis, the present incumbent, on the R., D. C. and Orp. ticket, defeated Pierce T. Gamble, who figured in the Sabbath crusade of last summer and who was running on the Prohibition ticket, by about 15 to 1.

Twenty-second ward—Patrick Casey, R., D. and O.

Twenty-third ward—Martin Flatley, D., C. and O.

Twenty-fourth ward—Mathew Masterson, D., C. and O.

Twenty-fifth ward—Henry Ochs, D. and C. No opposition.

Twenty-sixth ward—J. J. Toole, R.

Twenty-seventh ward—Andrew Voelker, D., C. and O.

Twenty-eighth ward—Joseph Debold, R., D. and C.

Twenty-ninth ward—N. Schertzinger, R.

Thirtieth ward—W. P. Lyons, D. and C.

Thirty-first ward—William Weltzel, D. and C.

Thirty-fourth ward—James O'Connell, R., D. and C.

Thirty-seventh ward—J. C. Ingram, R., D. and C.

Thirty-eighth ward—J. A. Parker, D. and C.

Kilbuck Township Republican.

The Republican ticket won

ELECTION BOARD INSULTED COURT

Tenth Ward Officers in Contempt for Refusing to Honor Bench Warrants.

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN FOURTH

Solomon in his prime would have confessed he had a Chinese puzzle to entangle had he been in Judge Rodgers' place in the court of common pleas No. 2 when the many election squabbles came before him for consideration. It was the hardest election day session any court has had to contend with in the memory of the court officers, but the judge came out of it alive and covered himself with glory by the manner in which he patched up troubles and distributed sheriff's deputies.

Both the Citizens and Republican factions in several wards were in court at different times during the day, accompanied by almost the entire voting population of the districts affected. Everyone wanted to tell his troubles to the court in the same breath, and Judge Rodgers had to admonish them so many times that his patience was almost exhausted, and for a time it looked serious for the election officers of the First district of the Tenth ward, which was perhaps the worse case of the day.

The police officers of the city came in for severe criticism on nearly all occasions, although in one or two instances it was shown they were assailed without cause.

Election Board Ordered to Jail.

The climax of the situation was reached about 3:30 p. m., when Judge Rodgers ordered five members of the First district (Tenth ward) election board sent to jail for contempt of court, closing the polls by his action. At the solicitation of Attorney W. J. Brennen, however, he finally sent these men to the sheriff's office until he had further considered the case. Shortly before 6 he sent for the men, ordered them back to the polls to give citizens who were entitled to it, a chance to vote, but ordered they be brought before him on Thursday morning for a further hearing in the matter, when, it is believed, they will be punished for their actions in dishonoring a bench warrant for their arrest, as the court said their defense was weak, and had they not been election officers, they would surely have gone to jail.

This was probably the most flagrant violation of the election laws attempted in the two cities, and the members, according to Sheriff Dickson, even went so far as to tell the court to go to a place he would not name in the court's presence.

The men under arrest and whose cases will get a final consideration tomorrow, are Frank Kearns, judge of elections; James Maher, majority inspector; Frank Smith, majority clerk; William McCarthy, minority inspector, and Julius Frank, minority clerk.

How the Trouble Started.

The first trouble in this district occurred in the morning when the election officers were accused of refusing to permit John Sontag, Republican overseer, to act in that capacity, and threw him out of the polling place. He went into court with a petition, presented by Attorney William M. Benham, asking for bench warrants and that the election officers and ballot box be brought into court. Judge Rodgers honored the bench warrant and two deputy sheriffs were sent to bring the men before the bar. It was later alleged the board would not obey the summons, a police captain acting beyond his authority in instructing the men to keep the polls open. It was charged that the deputies were thrown out of the polling place and that Deputy Charles Cutler was arrested by the city police.

When the report was returned to the court, Judge Rodgers sent for Sheriff Dickson and instructed him to take as many men as he saw fit and bring the election officers and all who stood in his way, into court. The sheriff started out shortly after 1 o'clock, and it was two hours before he succeeded in getting the men to the court house.

Used His Own Judgement.

The court called them before him and asked why they had not honored his warrant. Judge of Election Kearns told the court the reason he did not honor the warrant was that there was no disorder in the polling place; that there was no cause for complaint and he did not consider it necessary to close the polls.

The court asked if that was the only reason, and when Kearns replied in the affirmative, Attorney Brennen spoke up and said that was a very good excuse and he believed the men did not know the import of a bench warrant and had no reason to know that it was a court order.

Sheriff Dickson then told the court that the men knew what the warrant was, and turning to one of them said:

"You knew what it was about, for I read it to you, and you told the court to go to a place which I would not care to repeat in the presence of the court. You also said you would hold the polls open until 7 o'clock and would hold the election, court or no court."

This was weakly denied by one of the men, and the court closed the dialogue by ordering the election officers sent to jail for contempt.

From an Educational Standpoint.

Attorney Brennen tried to show Judge Rodgers that the men did not understand the seriousness of a bench warrant, but the court thought they should be made to understand it and that the present time was as good as any to make an example of them. However, he told Sheriff Dickson to take them to his office and hold them for further consideration, as he thought good citizens should be permitted to cast their ballots.

Shortly before 6 o'clock they were sent back to the polls with two deputy sheriffs to protect the overseer, and the court admonished them that the way they treated the overseer might have something to do with their cases when they were brought before him Thursday morning. This action was taken on a petition presented by Attorney Brennen, which was in the nature of an apology for their conduct and an effort to show the court no disrespect was meant to his honor; that ignorance was alone responsible for their actions.

The election board of the First district of the Fourth ward was early brought into court on a bench warrant issued at the request of P. Manion, Republican overseer for that district. This district was a hotbed of political disturbances from the opening of the polls until the arrest on a bench warrant.

Allegheny Thieves Voted.

Manion alleged he was kept out of the polling place; that a bunch of 25 Allegheny thieves and crooks were brought into the booths to vote and that all election laws were reffed by the board. After Mr. Manion had told his story and had been corroborated by County Detective Robinson, who said he recognized many of the thieves, who slunk away when they saw him, and whom he warned to remain in Allegheny or he would take measures to put them where they belonged, the court turned to the election judge, Hugh Callahan, and said:

"I want to say to you, sir, that Mr. Manion is an officer of this court and he has the right to challenge voters. If that challenge is properly made, it is your duty to take cognizance of it and require affidavits. I will place the responsibility for Mr. Manion's protection upon you, and if there is any further trouble in that district, all of you will land behind the bars."

Overseer Manion stated he had been driven from the polls by police, when he attempted to challenge persons having no right, he said, to vote. Callahan denied that Manion had made any effort to challenge persons, but was put out for intimidating voters.

Plenty of Policemen on Hand.

Manion stated there were about 10 policemen at the polling place. He said Callahan knew many of the Allegheny thieves, and when he attempted to challenge the first one, Callahan announced, "I'll not accept any challenges." Manion said these men did not live at the Colonial hotel, as alleged, and from which place they were registered. When he attempted to prevent the first one from voting, Callahan called the police and ordered him ejected.

Both of the inspectors' versions of the affair corroborated Manion's. Inspector Peter Feeny said that despite his protestations the judge gave the men challenged a ballot without taking their affidavits; that when Manion was put out these men voted, making about 25 illegal ballots. Inspector Devlin corroborated this phase of the affair. Attorney H. G. Wasson asked the court to take cognizance of the number of police at the polls, but the court said he did not believe there were too many police, if they went there for the proper purpose, from the description given of the district's reputation. The board was warned that another bench warrant meant imprisonment.

In the afternoon County Detective Robinson swore out warrants for the arrest of several of the Allegheny thieves.

Refused to Sign Returns.

When the polls were closed Manion and the other Republican members of the board refused to sign the election returns.

The vote for controller in the two districts of the Fourth ward was counted early. In the first district, where the 25 illegal votes were cast, Larkin had a majority of 55. In the second district McLean had a majority of 18, making a net majority in the ward for Larkin of 37. The total vote in the ward was 130 for Larkin and 93 for McLean. The total vote was 223 or 128 less than cast for controller three years ago. Three years ago Lewis carried the Fourth ward against Larkin by a majority of 71.

A long procession of political retainers from the First district of the Seventh ward went into court, the election officers being accompanied by Deputy Sheriff White and his assistants. This board had been brought in on bench warrants issued at the request of Citizens Overseer Max Levison, who, through his attorney L. S. Levin, stated that Judge of Elections Joseph Barton, a brother of Alderman Barton, and the Republican candidate in the ward, had closed the polls and refused to allow the citizens of the ward to vote. Barton is an attorney, and his reasons for closing the polls were that the overseer attempted to tell him the law; that an Italian attempted to vote when he was not entitled to a ballot, and that a riot interfered with the election.

Raised a Question of Law.

Barton stated that Levison had ordered him to accept certain votes, and had intimidated him by shaking his fists in his face. He said Levison tried to tell him that voters who swore they were properly qualified or had vouchers could vote, which he did not believe was the law.

The court interrupted him by stating that Levison was right and that he should not have closed the polls, but should have accepted all voters who complied with the election laws; that if they were not proper persons to cast ballots, their cases could be attended to in criminal court later. A number of persons said there was no noise and everything was quiet when Barton closed down for a half hour's recess. The court told Barton to go back, open the polls and conduct the election as required by law. He sent Deputy Sheriff White with him to watch the polls and report to the court what was being done.

Notwithstanding the court's orders, shortly after dinner, Barton again closed the polls, and Deputy Sheriff White brought the board and the ballot box back to court. The deputy sheriff said he found that Barton was directly interested in the election, and would not accept qualified voters and was not a proper person to manage the election in that district. He also said the police had assisted him in trying to restore order in this district and had of interfered with the election there.

Barton's Resignation Accepted.

The court asked Barton what he meant by that kind of conduct, and Barton attempted to explain, denying what Deputy Sheriff White had said. Attorney Levin said his faction was perfectly satisfied if the court would open the polls under all the deputies he saw fit to send to the district.

Barton then offered to resign and later handed in his resignation, at the court's suggestion, to the inspectors who elected another judge when the polls were again opened. The court sent the board and the ballot box back to the polling place, said he was tired instructing the judges as to their duties and intimated that another session with the court would make their understanding clearer. He sent several deputies with Deputy Sheriff White with pre-emptory orders to see that an orderly election was conducted and every voter who qualified got a chance to deposit his ballot.

The board of the Second district of the Seventh ward, when brought in on a bench warrant, told the court that there was a riot and the polls were closed in consequence. They charged the police with intimidating voters not favorable to the administration. Judge Rodgers issued an order that the police keep 50 feet away from the polls unless called in the prevent disorder.

Afraid of the Ballots.

The Third district of the same ward reported the polls closed on account of uncertainty regarding the ballots, as some candidates did not appear on them. The court told the board to go back, open the polls, use the new ballots and let the ballot question be decided later.

Overseer W. A. Harris of the Sixth district, Thirteenth ward, reported to the court that Robert A. Fair, who was of age on February 6, had been refused the right to vote. The court ordered him taken back to the polls and sent some deputies with him, as it was also reported that fighting was going on there. The court was informed that the constable of the ward had deputized another man to act for him and that this man was throwing everyone out whether they were qualified or not.

In speaking of the Seventh ward trouble Sheriff Dickson said he called upon Superintendent Alexander Wallace to get a policeman to go with him to tell his men who he was, so they would not interfere when he went to take the board into court. Sheriff Dickson said Wallace refused to send a man with him, stating that his men had their orders and knew what to do.

USED THEIR FISTS.

Thirty-fifth Ward Election Inspectors Fight and One Arrests the Other.

Shortly before the polls in the Second district of the Thirty-fifth ward closed last night a dispute arose between the Democratic and Republican inspectors of election and a fist fight resulted. Constable James F. Carey, of Alderman William F. Walsh's office, was Democratic inspector, and George Shenddie the Republican inspector.

The question which arose in the board was not of great moment, but before others in the polling place were aware of the feeling the two inspectors had in the matter the men went at each other with their fists. Both landed several good blows before being separated. Constable Carey then exercised his authority as constable and placed his opponent under arrest on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Shenddie's father, hearing of the trouble, went before Alderman Walsh and swore out a warrant against the constable on a charge of assault and battery. When the constable appeared at the alderman's office the warrant was served. Carey was released in $500 bail for a hearing.

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Gov. Vardaman's opposition to John Sharp Williams in his ambition to succeed Senator Money is understood to be due partly to personal antipathy and partly to a conflicting ambition to have himself elected to the United States senate. Outside of Mississippi there can hardly be more than one opinion in this matter. The election of Vardaman over Williams will disgrace the state of Mississippi. Vardaman has made himself conspicuous by attacks upon the president and upon the Constitution of the United States and in other bizarre ways. Mr. Williams, whatever his shortcomings, has proven himself a man of ability and has achieved for himself the floor leadership of his party in the house of representatives.

The latest indorsement of the armory bill comes from the Pittsburgh board of trade, an influential body of East End business men. It was indorsed previously by the chamber of commerce. In fact, this bill has been commended wherever it has been given attention, a sure sign of its popularity. The national guard of Pennsylvania deserves this recognition at the hands of the state. It has not been liberally treated in the past, but despite handicaps it has achieved for itself the foremost place among the state military organizations of the country. It has always served the state on demand. Now it is entitled to have quarters provided where arms and accoutrement can be stored and where drill practice can be carried on.

New York city has celebrated the 100th anniversary of her public school system. The progress made since the first building was erected has not been so notable in New York as in many other places, for attention to school children has not kept pace with the growth in population. But similar conditions prevail in many other large cities, especially in the lack of suitable buildings. Modern standards are so exacting regarding the sanitary provisions and allowance for fresh air that a sudden expansion was considered necessary about 25 years ago. The new labor laws also tend to increase the school enrollment, for they require the youth to attend public schools much longer than was once considered necessary. New York has not failed entirely for the city has 622 buildings to accommodate 622,000 pupils and engages 13,000 instructors to teach them.

In the 50 years that the late C. J. Hamlin bred trotting horses he saw many changes in the attitude of the public toward racing which is now patronized by social leaders as well as those who make it their business. Since such men as the late William C. Whitney patronized it the breeding of animals and experiments to test their speed became much more respectable than it was half a century ago. In England the king is a patron of the turf and of the betting as well and similar conditions seem likely to prevail in this country. Hamlin originally believed in raising handsome horses as well as fast ones, and his Mambrino King was said to be nearly perfect in beautiful qualities. But in more recent years he yielded to the fashion for getting the greatest possible speed from horses, and this seemed to make it necessary that many of them should be positively ugly.

There have been three serious railroad wrecks within the past two days. All of these have been due to defects in roadbed or rolling stock equipment. None were due to negligence on the part of employes, disobedience of orders, or lack of signaling devices. These accidents do vital injury to many solemn arguments advanced last year to explain the many casualties that marked 1904 and the close of the year before. The fact is, as The Gazette has repeatedly said, many American railroad casualties, as compared with England, are due to operation of longer lines at less cost per ton mile and per passenger. Cost of maintenance a mile is proportionately greater in sparsely populated districts and the greater part of the difference in casualties is due to this fact. Accidents in American suburban service are relatively rare, though the Erie wreck of Monday is in that class.

In spite of the reputation of Speaker Cannon for economy, it is said that more than twice as many private pension bills have been passed by the present house than by any previous one. Originally private pension bills had to be read before passage, but lately they have been rushed through by title. Congressman Maddox of Georgia desired greater deliberation, so he attempted to have them all read, but finally compromised by securing an order that all of them be printed so that people might know what congress was doing. This will swell the size of the Congressional Record considerably, but it may result in checking some bills that are merely a raid on the treasury. The pension bureau ought to be able to handle most of the worthy applications, and when it is convinced that a deserving bounty cannot be granted for technical reasons it might be required to indorse the relief sought by congress.

A Disgraceful Election.

Incidents of yesterday's election furnished a strong argument in favor of a personal registration law. Although the courts had taken action to purge some of the voting lists of names carried on them for the use of repeaters, yet ample opportunity for fraud remained and much of the outlawry which accompanied the election in a number of districts was based upon the facilities which the present system extends to voting bogus names and running in persons who have no right to vote.

Another argument furnished was as to the importance of a non-partisan and impartial police force. To say the least, the force showed marked inefficiency and disgraceful scenes of disorder were allowed. Only the intervention of the sheriff under orders from the court availed to check the high-handed violation of the rights of voters, but this operated only as a partial check upon the scenes of riot at some of the polling places. Fraud and violence were so general in the downtown wards that results are vitiated, and some questions may have to be taken to the courts for decision. The proceedings reflect upon election officers of both parties, but the mainspring of yesterday's disorder was the efforts of the payroll brigade to pull the election through as desired by the municipal administration. In this respect as in other bad respects the new ring has outdone the old ring which it supplanted under pledges of reform.

The returns indicate a majority of some thousands for Controller Larkin, a result which was to have been expected. The issue was not exciting enough to draw out a heavy vote and the payroll vote is large enough to decide the result of an ordinary off-year election. Besides Controller Larkin had the advantage of having won independent support by his antagonism to the policy of the municipal administration, while at the same time he had the full support of the administration at the polls. Mr. McLean made an energetic canvass, which has established his reputation as a man of force and ability, but he could not overcome the combination of adverse conditions which confronted him.

Terms of Peace.

Reuter's agency, which is such an old and well-established news channel that its dispatches have almost semi-official authority, confirms the previous dispatches of the Associated Press that peace negotiations are practically under way at St. Petersburg. The terms said to have been agreed upon are the recognition of Japanese suzerainty over Korea, the cession of Port Arthur and the Liao-Tung peninsula to Japan, the neutralization of Vladivostok and the restoration of Manchuria to the Chinese empire as far north as Harbin. These are all terms which seem to be the inevitable consequences of the war, to which Russia cannot reasonably object, but the question of indemnity is a difficult one, and before acceding to Japan's terms Russia may risk another battle.

It has become obvious that it is not the Russian nation which is at war with Japan, but simply the Russian government, and the demand for peace that has come up from the Russian people is practically irresistible. The conviction is general that a great mistake was made in making Japan an enemy instead of seeking her friendship, and that this mistake should be repaired as speedily as possible. The humiliation of defeat is more endurable than persistence in a false policy, and defeat itself ceases to be an intolerable humiliation in view of the revelation of the fact that Japan is one of the great powers of the world whom no country could fight successfully 5,000 miles away from its own base and right alongside of Japan's own base.

It is now well established from the statements of Russian officials that the war was the result of the czar's own obtuseness. He could not be made to believe that Japan meant to fight, although warned by his ambassador at Tokyo and by Admiral Alexieff, as well as by Count Lamsdorff and Gen. Kuropatkin at home. The czar believed that peace would be maintained because he did not intend to go to war and that any nation in the world would dare to attack Russia was to him simply unthinkable. Admiral Togo's attack upon Port Arthur was a terrible awakening for him and the effects of the shock have been manifest in the nervelessness of his policy ever since. The internal disorders of Russia have, however, forced some decision, and the termination of the war is likely to come within a comparatively brief time.

The Man and the Hour.

Students of national character are given admirable opportunity in the close proximity of the Lincoln and Washington birthday anniversaries to study the striking contrasts that history affords in the development of national leadership. In personal traits there could hardly be found in history a sharper contrast than is afforded by a study of the lives of Washington and Lincoln. The one was a product of aristocratic environment; the other was a child of pure democracy, trained in the school of poverty and disciplined by adversity. He came up from among the people and studied human needs through his personal experience. Washington believed in the liberty of humanity in the abstract, from motives of a high and ennobling theory, but not until destiny took a hand and shaped the course of American political life did he have a definite object upon which to direct his efforts. As a result of these differing environments Washington was a man of fastidious and polished mien. Lincoln, on the other hand, was of far too rugged nature ever to fit into the ordinary groove of social conventions. He sometimes shocked the sense of mincing propriety, of whose very existence he seemed unconscious. He drew to him the love and confidence of a nation because he was instinctively in accord with national character and life.

Environment does not make the man, for the material must be there upon which existing influences work, but in both the case of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln national conditions found not only the material best suited for the work to be done, but found it so plastic as to be molded readily to the needs of the times. They displayed such fitness for their work that it seems as if they were born to deal with the emergencies which determined their careers. Hence their memory is not only a fountain of patriotic sentiment, but is also a source of faith that in every great crisis of national destiny the man and the hour will meet.

Pittsburgh's University.

Today Chancellor Samuel Black McCormick of the Western University of Pennsylvania will be inducted into office with elaborate ceremonies. The exercises of the day will give an impression of the great educational establishment over which Mr. McCormick is to preside and which he has suggested should be given the title of Pittsburgh university. The suggestion is pertinent and will be more so when the vast population identified with the name of Pittsburgh is welded together under one municipal administration.

Along with the ceremonial commissioning of the new chancellor and the movement for Greater Pittsburgh, the time is ripe to strive for a greater university under the new title. The Western university has a long and honorable career to look back upon; it should have a brilliant and successful career ahead. Chancellor McCormick brings to his duties aggressive energy and understanding intelligence. The group of colleges under his jurisdiction are in flourishing condition. They should be brought together from their scattered quarters to the vicinity of the Carnegie institute, Phipps conservatories and the new technical school. They should be properly housed, equipped for laboratory work and handsomely endowed. When this is done the University of Pittsburgh will take its proper place among the leading institutions for higher learning in this country.

Piling Up Indictments.

Indictments have been piling up against Mrs. Chadwick since the federal grand jury got to work, and there are now ten in all, seven in the United States district court and three in the state court. In the indictments reported yesterday she is referred to as "alias Mme. De Vere." Along with Mrs. Chadwick five bankers have been indicted on various charges of criminal conduct in connection with the Chadwick loans. In their case the losses sustained from their dealings with the woman are but the beginning of their troubles.

Besides pushing proceedings against Mrs. Chadwick and bankers who aided her under the glamor of her gorgeous pretenses, the national government is making an investigation as to whether jewels forming part of her assets have paid the proper duties, and if any such claims are established they will be a charge against the bank which received them as collateral. The assets are, however, already so small in comparison with her liabilities that some of the heaviest claimants have not filed their accounts, which means that either they will rest upon the assumption that the signatures to the alleged Carnegie notes are genuine or that they will pocket the whole loss rather than accept a trifling dividend. It is expected that the trial of the various indictments will explore the facts of this marvelous case so as to clear up all the mystery surrounding it. If her identity with Mme. De Vere is established the whole affair resolves itself into the fresh exploits of an old offender whose antecedents can be fully accounted for.

The Example of Kansas.

Kansas took the lead in its agitation against the Standard Oil trust, and since then at least eleven other states and one territory have proposed measures of various sorts to restrict the privileges of this corporation. Anti-trust legislation is in the air. Reports from Arkansas, California, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Texas and Wisconsin are all to the same effect, showing that the question of how the trust can be curbed by state authority is receiving attention.

In the meantime the administration has set the machinery of the commerce department at work to investigate the methods of the Standard Oil Company. There is more material for this work than there was when it was undertaken before and the results are pretty sure to receive more notice. What the result will be no one can predict. The company has lived through numerous investigations and has gone on prospering. But federal action is more efficient than state action, and the disposition of public sentiment is plainly in favor of establishing a national control which will prevent abuses of corporate power.

The naval appropriation bill, carrying $90,000,000 and two battleships, is up to the senate. Will that body carry its opposition to the president to the length of not providing for the national defense?

Gov. Vardaman will oppose J. Sharp Williams for senator. By the same token Mr. Williams is warranted in opposing the selection of Vardaman.

Yesterday's weather was the best possible for averting destructive floods, but one swallow does not make a summer.

Midvale wants the armor bids reopened and is willing to take a share of the contracts in lieu of the whole thing.

Does Mayor Hays really intend to have the tax levy raised to meet requirements of the appropriations ordered?

A dock strike at Havana may be regarded as one of the evolutionary effects of freedom and independence.

Maybe the Standard oil investigation will not boom the popular demand for railroad rate legislation.

Opposition to Greater Pittsburgh? It can be discovered only by use of the microscope.

To every man a square deal, no more and no less, including the Standard Oil Company.

This year's fire losses are gradually working up toward the high mark set last year.

Chancellor McCormick and the greater university are on the boards.

Some Tammany methods were introduced in Pittsburgh yesterday.

There was ample heat in the election to send the thermometer up.

This is the Thirty-ninth ward's first round in a city election.

Another epidemic of railroad wrecks appears to be upon us.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 21. Sylvanus Stokes, one of the proprietors of the Hotel York in this city, has returned from the west with a high appreciation of what he saw during a few days' stay in Pittsburgh as the guest of County Commissioner Clark. As told in The Gazette some days ago Stokes did not get a lease of the Hotel Lincoln. "Nothing would please me better than to get control of a hotel in Pittsburgh," he said this afternoon. "Pittsburgh is the best business city in the country—not even excepting New York. Everywhere I went I saw evidence of prosperity. I not only visited the hotels, but also the stores, and everywhere I saw crowds of people with money to spend. It was a revelation to me, and the more time I spent looking around the more I regretted I could not get into the city in my line of business.

"I learned more about Pittsburgh's prosperity when I reached Grand Rapids," he continued. "I visited all the furniture factories, and everywhere I was told the best that was produced was for the Pittsburgh trade. At one factory I was shown three sets of furniture that took the prize at the St. Louis fair. 'I supose that will go to Pittsburgh,' I remarked, jokingly. 'You guessed right,' was the reply, 'two of the sets have already been sold there.' That was enough for me. I decided that Pittsburgh was the only real business city of the world."

Publishers Gather at the Waldorf.

The newspaper man who hails from the west has an opportunity of meeting many old acquaintances this week, since the Publishers' association is in session at the Waldorf-Astoria. One not acquainted with the propensity of bright young Americans to rise in the world might be surprised at the number of very young men who are members of this association, men who but a few years ago were "advertising hustlers," or "space grabbers." But since there is always room at the top, these young men would not be denied their chance to "grab theirs off."

The New York publishers are doing their best to give their brethren from the west a pleasant time. Today an invitation was accepted by the association to lunch in the new Times building in Longacre square tomorrow and hold the afternoon session in the building. On Thursday the association will be entertained at lunch by the Brooklyn Eagle. In each case the publishers will have an opportunity to inspect a thoroughly modern newspaper building with the most up-to-date equipment.

Spring Is in the Air.

The Publishers' association, by the way, picked exactly the proper moment for its annual meeting in New York this year. A week ago the members would have found themselves "ankle deep in New York," as Joseph Jefferson realistically describes the situation. For a week later we could make no promises, but today has been the best of the season, though the streets are not as clean as one might wish. There is that "come into the garden, Maud," sort of feeling in the air, though which makes one feel that to remain indoors is a crime that only absolute necessity can mitigate. There are still great banks of snow in the side streets and at some points in the public parks, but the warmth of the sun gives us a hope that spring is really on the way, and another wek will see heavy overcoats hanging with out various "uncles."

Magnet That Draws Them All.

A really first-class divorce trial is deplored by the theatrical managers almost as much as a theater fire, for it is promptly felt on matinee days. Anyhow, what's the use of paying $2 for a seat to see a make-believe drama, when a drama of real life can be seen for nothing? This week there is a case on with all the proper characters, including the injured wife, the wealthy husband, the beautiful actress and the three sleuths, and the court room is not large enough to accommodate the crowds of women. The court case has the advantage, too, of going into details in a way that would cause the police to close a theater, and the women who attend such trials seem to go for the details, never missing a word. Yesterday the crowd was not so great, but the free advertising given the performance by the newspapers filled the house today, with enough left over to make an overflow meeting possible.

Jerome Is Seeking a "Fence."

District Attorney Jerome's latest move is a search for a "fence," having an intuitive feeling that where there are so many thieves there must be a receiver of stolen goods, and perhaps several of them. One wealthy pawnbroker was in court this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of receiving stolen goods. His sentence was deferred until the district attorney's office can go more thoroughly into the case and Mr. Jerome says the man must tell of his acquaintance with thieves or it will go hard with him. The number of robberies that have been committed this winter would indicate that there must be several places through which to dispose of the proceeds, for the thieves have not made a specialty of silver and gold, but have taken wearing apparel and everything else that has come within their reach. Therefore, if the "fence" can be locked up there will be less incentive for robbery.

Herbert to Be Conductor.

The proposed benefit for Joseph Holland, the veteran actor whose days on the stage are past, promises to be the one big theatrical event of March, despite the number of "openings" that are promised. Nearly every actor and actress of prominence in America has volunteered to "do something," and orders for seats are coming in so rapidly that it begins to look as though even the Metropolitan opera house will not be large enough to hold Mr. Holland's friends who are anxious to extend the helping hand. Victor Herbert is to conduct the orchestra, which will be largely augmented for the occasion, the musicians of the city being as anxious as the actors to be named on the benefit program.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
E. W. Pargny,
N. McFarlane,
R. M. Jennings.

Hotel Astor.
Mrs. J. C. Bennett.

Fifth Avenue.
W. R. Muhler,
Mrs. M. B. K. Gribble.

Manhattan.
G. C. Smith.

Belmont.
Miss K. Allen.

Imperial.
A. Taylor.

Victoria.
A. B. Kueber,
Mrs. Kueber.

Navarre.
J. Stager.

Spalding.
Mrs. F. A. Golken.

York.
W. H. Pollock,
Mrs. Pollock.

Can Be No Justification.

Gen. Miles can be freely forgiven for having shackled Jefferson Davis during the hysteria of excitement following the assassination of Lincoln, but he cannot justify his deception in publishing in his defense a letter of thanks written by Mrs. Davis, which, as appears from the diary of Davis' daughter, was written before the event.—Philadelphia Ledger.

IT IS TO SMILE.

W. C. T. U. Lady—If I was your wife, sir, I'd give you poison.

Inebriate Gentleman (soberly)—If you was my wife (hic) madam, I'd be (hic) dom glad to take it!—Puck.

Jagleigh—I'm going on a business errand this evening, my dear. But I'll come straight home.

Mrs. J.—Oh, never mind. But do come home straight.—Cleveland Leader.

"Would you take me for an actor if you saw me off the stage?"

"I do not know about that, but I certainly never took you for an actor on the stage."—New York Herald.

The Ichthyosaurus—What's the matter, old chap?

The Pterodactyl—Eve has begun to wear hats, and I'm afraid she will want my wings.—New York Sun.

She said: "It's a lovely bouquet
And its odor quite takes me aswet
To the country, it does,
Where bumble-bees buss
And the mock-bird is singing its best."
—Houston Post.

"I think your new bonnet will suit you perfectly, dear," said her husband.

"Why, how do you know? You haven't seen it."

"No, but I've seen the bill, and that doesn't suit me. Hence my conclusion."—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Where may the wearied eye repose,
When gazing on the great,
Where neither guilty glory glows,
Nor dispicable state?
Yes, one—the first, the last, the best—
The Cincinnatus of the west,
Whom envy dared not hate,
Bequeathed the name of Washington,
To make man blush there was but one.
—Byron.

America has furnished to the world the character of Washington. And if our American institutions had done nothing else, that alone would have entitled them to the respect of mankind.—Daniel Webster.

No gilded dome swells from the lowly roof to catch the morning or evening beams; but the love and gratitude of united America settle upon it in one eternal sunshine. From beneath that humble roof went forth the intrepid and unselfish warrior, the magistrate who knew no glory but his country's good; to that he returned happiest when his work was done. There he lived in noble simplicity, there he died in glory and peace. While it stands, the latest generations of the grateful children of America will make this pilgrimage to it as to a shrine; and when it shall fall, if fall it must, the memory and the name of Washington shall shed an eternal glory on the spot.—Edward Everett.

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This is cherry pie day.

And what better substitute for chopping down cherry trees could any one ask than eating pie?

To chop down a cherry tree would be a grievous misdemeanor under the law, while you may eat cherry pie to the limit of your capacity without fear of being molested by constable or sheriff's deputy.

You may have to send for a doctor, but there are plenty of them, and all well prepared to treat cherrypietis. It isn't difficult to treat, and the treatment is far more comfortable, severe as it may be, than is the disorder.

Or, if you shouldn't be so fortunate as to have cherry pie to eat you can get a can of cherries for the price of a shave, or three beers, which will answer every purpose.

But if neither of these appeal to your palate, or do not seem to be spirited enough for the occasion, there are brandied cherries which will enthuse you all right.

And if none of these should be within reach you surely can get a cherry pipe to smoke.

It is hardly necessary to mention cherry lips and what use may be made of them. Robert Herrick wrote of these more than two centuries ago, and long enough before George Washington was thought of:

"Cherry ripe, ripe, ripe, I cry,
Full of fair ones—come and buy!
If so be you ask me where
They do grow, I answer, there,
Where my Julia's lips do smile—
There's the land, or cherry isle."

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This cherry business is not new, as may be found by securing the poetry of some of the old masters, and the popular songs of long, long ago. Here is an extract from "An Howre's Recreation in Musick," A. D. 1606:

"There is a garden in her face,
Where roses and white lilies show;
A heavenly paradise is that place,
Wherein all pleasant fruits do grow.
There cherries hang that none can buy,
Till cherry ripe themselves do cry.

"Those cherries fairly do enclose
Of orient pearl a double row;
Which when her lovely laughter shows,
They look like rosebuds full of snow.
There cherries hang that none can buy,
Till cherry ripe themselves do cry."

Can you blame George for tackling a cherry tree when there were other trees handy? He evidently had a well defined and altogether commendable taste.

It seems a pity that he had not been born in cherry time so that we could have cherry pickings on his birthday instead of having to resort to canned, dried or evaporated goods.

But it was not to be, else it would have been. Thus it is up to us to resort to such makeshifts as will answer the desired purpose. And as you will have observed there are several of these, none of which are positively disagreeable, nor particularly difficult.

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Why not have a cherry pie day right in the heart of cherry time? As the case now stands that cherry tree event, or alleged event, overshadows the event of Washington's birthday.

There would be a peculiar sense of fitness in the observance of a cherry festival, and it would interest many more people than any sort of birthday celebration that can be gotten up in the month of February, a month notably cold, stormy and generally disagreeable.

And then the moral in the cherry tree story could be brought out clearly and sharply emphasized, and this is one of the things in the life of this great man that appeals more directly to youngsters than any of his later achievements. By thus interesting them in his boy life they will become interested in his man life and have stronger incentives to study his career. And as they read of the man, and study his life they will see that much of his success grew out of his honesty which was foreshadowed in the cherry tree incident.

If the young folks want to get up a real Washington cherry festival there is nothing to hinder them from doing it, unless there should be a failure of the cherry crop. And even in that event they might chop down a few trees.

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There is much in the life of Washington that will appeal to every boy or girl. He was a boy among boys, as he was a man among men. Duty was his watchword, to excel was his ambition, while loyalty to his fellowmen and to his country was the guiding star of his life.

And there was much of romance in his life, realistic romance that outmasters the masters of fiction. He was bold and dashing without being reckless, overpowering without being overbearing, a strict disciplinarian and yet not a martinet.

In matters of love he was diffident and backward, yet none the less earnest and persistent. As a husband he was the soul of kindness and as the master of a home he was generous and hospitable above the average of those who enjoyed wealth and distinction.

It was in the role of statesman that he won and maintained the respect of all at home and abroad. Even those against whom he had waged a long and successful war were not slow to acknowledge his ability as a soldier and his generosity to an enemy. He was in no way small or mean, but great in every way.

To the very close of his life he had a care for the new government, and to the last he confidently predicted a greatness and grandeur for it that would even eclipse the fondest dreams of its hopeful, enthusiastic founders.

Here is a message that he left to every son and daughter of the land that should come after him:

"The education of our youth in the science of government—in a republic, what species of knowledge can be equally important? What duty is more pressing than to patronize a place for communicating it (the science and art of citizenship) to those who are to be the future guardians of our liberty?"

Answers to Correspondents.

M. G. S., Latrobe—If you have read The Gazette the past few days you will have seen the announcement of the result. It was printed Sunday and Monday in a prominent position in the paper.

G. C. R., Allegheny—You should consult a lawyer. The Gazette does not give legal advice.

A Reader, Washington—You had better inquire of some responsible dentist.

Direct Election of Senators.

The direct election of United States senators is desirable, but unattainable. The necessary amendment to the Constitution cannot be secured. There are two ways in which the voters can serve notice on the legislature that they wish a particular person to be elected. One is the designation of senatorial candidates by party conventions, as was done by the Republicans once when they selected Lincoln and by the Democrats when they put up Palmer.—Chicago Tribune.

Railroads and the Government.

Railroads have profited by "eminent domain" laws by which private property can be condemned for their uses. The federal government protects them as common carriers of interstate commerce, and will send its troops to defend their property if need be, as Mr. Cleveland did at the time of the Chicago strike. Even if it undertakes to regulate their tariffs, its regulations must be reasonable. The Constitution will permit no arbitrary interference with rates.—New York World.

Blockade in Senate

By L. W. STRAYER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—All hope of railway rate legislation at this session of congress has now gone glimmering and the senate finds itself face to face with a blockade of legislative business that only the most heroic efforts will overcome by March 4. Day after day the Swayne impeachment trial drags itself along, while appropriation bills, that must be passed in order that the machinery of government may be kept in motion, are waiting for consideration.

With only 10 legislative days remaining in the session, there are several of the large appropriation bills to be acted upon, all of which usually arouse a great deal of discussion, and which cannot be passed without some debate. Then there is the statehood bill to be acted upon in conference and when the conferees' report is submitted there is certain to be protracted discussion. It is expected the Swayne trial will consume all of the present week in the taking of testimony and possibly the examination of witnesses will not be concluded until next Monday or Tuesday. It is taken as a foregone conclusion by those who have watched the progress of the trial that Judge Swayne will be acquitted, but the United States senate is too uncertain a quantity to make a prediction about.

Working Fast as Possible.

The managers on the part of the house and the attorneys for the defense claim they are using every endeavor to avoid delay and that they are not taking any more time in the examination of witnesses than they consider absolutely necessary. But time flies and the hour of final adjournment is rapidly drawing near. Veteran senators say that never in their memory has that body been so clogged with work as it is at the present moment.

Among other important matters that will have to go over until the next congress is the action in the case of Senator Smoot of Utah, whose right to his seat in the senate has been questioned. The committee on privileges and elections, after taking testimony during the greater part of the present session, finds it impossible to get its report ready before the time for adjournment and therefore will ask for authority to go to Utah during the recess of congress and seek additional evidence. It is possible that the committee might have its report ready in time if it should hasten, but when the report gets before the senate, a number of senators have expressed their intention of discussing the case and therefore plenty of time must be allowed for this debate. As there will be no opportunity for this discussion at this session, there is no reason why the committee should hasten the preparation of its report.

Unable to Carry Out Program.

Last fall Senator Burrows stated that at the beginning of this session the committee would close the taking of evidence and would be ready with its report soon after the first of the year, but circumstances prevented this program being carried out and the examination of witnesses was continued far after it had been expected that the case would be closed. Then the Swayne case took the center of the stage and so monopolized the attention of the senate that there was no incentive for the committee on privileges and elections to bring in its report.

The firm conviction prevalent among all members of congress that there is no possible chance for rebate legislation at this time brings with it no great surprise, for a majority of them had reached that conclusion some time ago. In fact when the Townsend-Esch bill was put through the house the opinion was freely expressed that the action of the house was futile for the reason that the senate would do nothing. It is reported that the votes of some representatives were influenced by this very conclusion, and they would have voted differently had they been convinced that the senate was likely to take up the subject now. President Roosevelt had consistently followed the policy he outlined at the opening of congress in December when in his annual message he recommended action on the rate question and urged that it be taken promptly.

President Has Used His Influence.

All along he has used his influence in favor of the legislation proposed and it was principally this influence that put the bill through the house. The president had hoped the senate would be able to take up the question before March 4, and the attitude of some senators who were apparently trying to obstruct this policy caused him to consider the summoning of an extra session of congress immediately after the spring adjournment in the event that the senate failed to act. But the president is not inclined to ask anything unreasonable of congress, so when it became evident that the Swayne case would occupy so much time that the senate would really be unable to give proper consideration to the rate question, the idea of a spring extra session was abandoned.

But President Roosevelt has by no means weakened in his determination that the laws relating to railroad rates must be altered so as to give additional protection to the small shippers. He favored a readjustment of the tariff law, but this idea was met with such a protest from the members of his party in the house that he abandoned the proposition, admitting that the question of revenues was preeminently a question for the membership of the house to decide.

President Won for Greater Navy.

But on the occasion when he announced his submission to the opinion of the house leader on the tariff, the president took occasion to say that he would insist upon two things, one that there should be no halt in the upbuilding of the navy, and the other that railroad rate legislation must be enacted promptly. Yesterday the question of a greater navy was fought out in the house and the president won. This year's naval appropriation bill, carrying provision for two first-class battleships, was attacked by the contingent that is opposed to extending the power of the navy to the point proposed by the president. An amendment was submitted cutting out one battleship and authorizing the construction of but one, and when the vote came on this question members on both sides of the house cut loose from party lines, some of the Democrats voting for two ships and some Republicans voting to cut out one of them. But the president won and the bill passed the house with the construction program unchanged. There is no reason to believe that any change will be made by the senate.

President Roosevelt's contention for a railroad rebate law will be urged with the same persistency that it has been, and with which his naval program was urged.

Extra Session Probable in Fall.

Although the spring extra session has been abandoned, according to the general understanding, it is as generally anticipated that an extra session will be called in the fall, probably in October, and it is believed that the president will make some public announcement of his intention before adjournment next week. Public sentiment is now known to be favorable to the enactment of such a law as is proposed and it is suspected that some members of congress have been playing for delay in the hope that during the summer the public order on this question will cool, with the result that if a law is passed it will be less restrictive than it is now proposed to make it. There is really little ground for such hope, since it is certain that when congress does meet to take up this matter, whether in extra session or at the regular assembling next December, President Roosevelt will send in a message stronger, if possible, than the one he wrote last December and focusing the attention of the people directly upon the abuses that exist in transportation. The question cannot be dodged. It must be met and disposed of in some way, and while there is a plausible and reasonable excuse for the senate not taking it up at this time, there will be none for trying to sidetrack it later on.

Night Sessions of Senate Probable.

Hereafter measures will be adopted by the senate to dispose of the imperative business that has accumulated for its attention, and it is expected that night sessions will soon be inaugurated in order that the decks may be cleared. Even after the legislative matters are out of the way and the session has been adjourned, the senate will be obliged to remain here for three weeks or a month to confirm the appointments of the president.

It is customary to call an extra session of the senate for this purpose with the incoming of every administration in order that cabinet officers and other important officials may be confirmed and take up the duties of their offices.

LOCAL ELECTIONS SHOW SURPRISES

Mixed Results in a Number of Municipalities—Light Vote Generally Cast.

GRIEST WINS AT LANCASTER

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BEAVER, PA., Feb. 21.—The Republican and Democratic county chairmen matched their swords in the First ward, Beaver, today in the election for council. County Chairman Wilson of the Democratic party backed his brother, R. C. Wilson, against the Republican, W. J. Stewart, who won out by six votes. The results: First ward, council, W. J. Stewart, Rep.; school director, A. B. McGrew, Rep.; constable, S. K. Alexander, Dem.; Second ward, council, R. S. Weyand, Rep., three years, and E. W. Brown, Rep., one year; school director, G. C. McJunkin, Rep., and constable, George Reynolds, Rep.; Third ward, council, Col. H. H. Mills; school director, E. M. Standley; constable, W. D. Cowan, all Republicans. For borough officials the following were elected: Auditor, E. M. Tomlinson, Rep.; high constable, W. D. Tallon, Rep.

BRIDGEWATER, PA., Feb. 21.—The Republicans and Citizens won out. Dunkin, Citizen, was elected constable over Buckley, straight Republican. The following were elected: Council, Harry Forestigie, Moylan Barens and James Shiverley; school director, Charles Walters and Phillip Groule; constable, Harry Dunkin; auditor, James Gibson.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., Feb. 21.—One Democrat was elected here today, Z. P. Chambers winning out for constable in the Third against William Withers, Republican, by a vote of 131 to 36. All the others elected were Republicans.

BEDFORD, PA., Feb. 21.—The following ticket was elected: Council, A. B. Brightbill, Rep.; Sylvester Rinard, Rep.; Tilman Burkett, Dem.; school directors, Hon. J. H. Longenecker, Rep.; R. C. Litzinger, Dem.; constable, R. D. Earnest, Rep.; high constable, Elmer E. Corle, Rep.; auditor, Johnm R. Jordon, Rep.

Fusionists Win Out.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Feb. 21.—Three tickets were in the field in almost all the wards—Republican, Democratic and Citizen. The candidates of the latter two tickets were almost identical and won out in all wards but one. These Democratic - Citizen councilmen were elected: W. W. Shields, Harry V. Kirker, John Waugaman, Dr. J. S. Jackson; Republicans, Harry Bloom, H. C. Campbell, Peter Keuehner. School directors—Democratic-Citizens, R. J. Jamison; Republicans, H. A. Moore and Charles Bond. There was a tie in the Third ward between John C. Bolen and John F. Detrick. The Democrat-Citizens gain four councilmen.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, PA., Feb. 21—John K. McLanahan, Jr., and Harry M. Henshey, Republicans were elected to council. For justice of the peace, C. G. Lowry was elected. Frank J. Over and William F. Kirk, Republicans, were elected school directors; Jacob Treese, Republican, high constable, and B. F. Warfel, Republican, auditor.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Feb. 21.—The election resulted as follows: North ward—Council, John Cotterel, Republican; school director, L. W. Meek, Democrat; constable, James Allison, Republican. South ward—Council, W. D. Shull, Democrat; school directors, T. W. Kennedy and L. L. Blair; constable, McClelland Shultz, Democrat; borough auditor, David R. Huss, Democrat.

EBENSBURG, PA., Feb. 21.—The only Democratic candidate elected was William Peach, for constable in the East ward. Hon. Tom Davis, Republican candidate for council in the East ward led his ticket. Those elected were: East ward—John S. James, auditor; Hon. Tom Davis, council; Webster Griffith, school controller; William Peach, constable. West ward—John S. James, auditor; John S. Lehman, council; Dr. Fremont Jones, school controller; R. D. Evans, constable.

Nearly a Clean Sweep.

TYRONE, PA., Feb. 21.—The following were elected: High constable, D. R. McClintock; auditor, W. F. Hiller; school directors, A. Crawford, Dr. L. F. Crawford, S. P. Eby; councilmen, W. L. Lowrie, D. Hayes Burnham, A. L. Beyer, F. D. Armstrong, C. H. Doloway, Alton Cryder, Daniel Donnelley, W. R. Fry and A. G. Beuford. All the winners are Republicans, except Beyer, Prohibitionist, and Donnelly, Democrat.

WARREN, PA., Feb. 21.—Five Republicans and three Democrats were elected members of the board of education. As members of the city council, four Republicans and three Democrats were elected. Robert Wingor and Andrew Black, Rep., were elected auditors.

MONESSEN, PA., Feb. 21.—The Straight Republicans had a walkover. The following were elected: First ward—council, W. F. Triggs; school director, H. J. Bearer. Second ward—council, Charles Alcorn; school director, S. H. Brumbaugh. Third ward—Council, A. Johnson; school director, W. S. McDonald.

FRANKLIN, PA., Feb. 21—Incomplete returns indicate that John R. Robertson, the Republican mayoralty candidate is elected over Henry Lauderton, candidate on the Democratic, Prohibition and Citizens party tickets, by a majority of 50 to 100 votes. The city council will be Republican by a big majority.

ALTOONA, Feb. 21.—The Republican ticket was overwhelmingly successful, every city candidate being carried into office. Simon H. Walker was chosen mayor by a majority over four other candidates of 1,000. H. C. Tussey, city treasurer; J. P. Stouch, city controller; D. K. Howe and H. E. Earlenbaugh, school directors, and John S. Alexander, assessor at large. Councils will be Republican on joint ballot.

WILKESBARRE, Feb. 21.—The result of the mayoralty campaign in this city is a complete victory for Fred C. Kirkendall, editor of the Evening Leader, Dem., who carried almost every ward over his opponent, Oscar Smith, Rep. Kirkendall's majority will reach nearly 1,500.

SCOTTDALE, PA., Feb. 21.—The following candidates were elected: First ward, school directors, P. Weddell and A. C. Overholt, Rep., and B. F. Hankey, Dem.; council, T. W. Porter and J. S. Loucks, Rep., and R. F. Ellis, Dem.; Second ward, school directors, J. O. Landenberger, Amos E. Gillespie and J. D. Hill, Rep.; council, J. M. Berer and L. R. Eicher, Rep., and Charles J. Schaeffer, Dem.; Third ward, school directors, B. H. Boyd, S. W. Newman, A. H. Herbert, Rep.; council, John G. Tedrow, A. P. Byron, W. B. Cox, Rep.; Fourth ward, school directors, Thomas H. Rutherford, Rep., and J. W. Wiley, Dem., L. E. Schaeffer, Rep., and D. L. Sherrick, Dem., are tied for the two-year term; Council, David Baker, P. J. O'Connor and H. E. Cramer, Dem.

Democrats Sweep Erie.

ERIE, PA., Feb. 21.—Democrats carried everything in the municipal elections today that were fought on the question of "a wide open town." The Hon. Robert J. Saltsman, who was mayor nine years ago, defeated Frank Connell by about 1,500 plurality. City treasurer, A. S. Pinney won from C. C. Shirk, who has just finished three terms in the office.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 21.—Thomas Hare, Dem., was re-elected borough treasurer today over John D. Baumgardner, Rep. The rest of the ticket elected was as follows: Council, Imer E. Hunt, George L. Barr, Joseph T. Hemphill, Alexander Reed, I. W. Baum, John Taylor, Dr. J. A. Patterson, H. C. Barr, Dr. William Denny, John W. Hallam, Boyd L. Parshall, Frank Streator and Dr. J. R. Maxwell. Auditors, J. Howard Blair, John A. Kennedy and J. P. Brownlee. Curator, Alexander Reed. High constable, W. A. Christy. The school board and council will be Republican by a large majority.

GREENSBURG, PA., Feb. 21.—For the first time in years a Republican treasurer, auditors and high constable have been elected. The Republicans secured two councilmen and three school directors. David P. Hudson won from Morrison Barclay by a vote of 620 to 609. H. E. Cope, W. S. Wible and E. A. Sweeney, the auditors-elect, won by majorities of from 3 to 128. The new councilmen are: First ward, H. N. Yont, Rep.; Second ward, Rube F. Marsh, Dem. Third ward, Edward Cress, Dem.; Fourth ward, D. A. Miller, Rep.; Fifth ward, W. F. Overly, Dem. The school directors elected are: First ward, W. C. Peoples, Rep.; Second ward, H. H. Fisher, Dem.; Third ward, T. M. Hammer, Rep.; Fourth ward, J. W. Taylor, Rep.; Fifth ward, John Kerr, Dem. The new high constable is Washington Haslett.

Johnstown's New Mayor a Democrat.

BELLEFONTE, PA., Feb. 21.—The results follow: Borough treasurer, James K. Barnhart, Dem.; poor overseer, Thomas Howley, Dem.; auditor, M. A. Jackson, Rep.; councilmen, William Derstine and Henry Brown, Rep., and M. T. Kirk, Dem.; school directors, Thad Longwell, Rep., and W. C. Hehle and R. A. Parker, Dem.; justices of the peace, Henry W. Musser, Rep., and John M. Keichline, Dem.

JOHNSTOWN, Feb. 21.—As a result of today's election the city administration will be transferred from the Republicans to the Democrats. Practically complete returns give Charles Young, Dem., a majority of 350 over George K. Shryock, Rep., for mayor. The Democrats also elect city controller and assessor. The vote for city treasurer is very close with the chances slightly in favor of Charles H. Wehn, Rep. Councils will probably remain Republican.

MEADVILLE, PA., Feb. 21.—Meadville today elected five Republican and one Democratic common councilmen and carried two Democratic wards. The result changes the complexion of councils from one Democratic majority on joint ballot to 19 Republicans and 5 Democrats.

Republicans Win at Butler.

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 21.—Six Republican councilmen out of seven were elected. A proposition to issue $70,000 bonds for improvements was snowed under. Edward Kramer, Republican, defeated Philip Maxwell, Democrat, for high constable, and Harry Forcht, Republican, was elected borough auditor over Joseph T. Sthele, Democrat, in the First ward. Dr. James Grossman, Democrat, defeated James W. Hutchison, Republican, for school director. James Green, Republican, was elected councilman over Charles E. McIntyre. Second ward—School director, Harry L. Graham, Rep.; council, William P. Turner, Rep. Third ward—School director, Earl McQuistion, Rep.; council, three years, William B. McGeary, Rep., one year, James B. McJunkin, Dem. Fourth ward—School director, John A. Bonner; council, J. C. Say, Rep. Fifth ward—School director, William T. Mechling, Dem.; council, three years, Samuel B. Cross, Rep.; one year, James A. McDowell, Rep.; constable, Jacob Rice, Rep.

BELLEVERNON, PA., Feb. 21.—The Republicans had no trouble in winning everything here today. Following is the ticket elected: Council, John F. Evans, William C. Kettle and Jacob W. Krepps; school directors, Howard W. Estep and Joseph O. Springer; constable, Erasmus H. Nicholls. In North Bellevernon the following ticket was elected: Council, E. Wood Miller and Benjamin F. Dougherty; school directors, Leightley Steen, Edwin S. Guller and William Mavis; constable, Robert W. Hamilton.

SHARON, PA., Feb. 21.—The ticket elected is as follows: Council, John S. Spencer and James B. Davis; school directors, James P. Whitla and James McLaughlery; auditor, Irvene J. Hyde; high constable, William Rudisell; constables, Winfield Welsh, C. P. Vinton, Ed Moses and William Rudisell.

OIL CITY, PA., Feb. 21.—Incomplete returns at midnight indicate the Democrats have carried the city by a small majority, electing A. L. Confer, mayor; Charles Mullalley, controller, and W. S. McCuen, treasurer.

New Castle's Mayor a "Citizen."

NEW CASTLE, PA., Feb. 21.—M. Louis Hainer, Citizens candidate, was elected mayor by the majority of about 350 votes. John McCandless won the city treasurership. For city controller Lyman Hughes and Benjamin Chesney had such a close fight that the result will not be known until tomorrow. W. N. Aiken, Citizen, won the city assessorship.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Feb. 21.—Dr. H. T. Billick, Dem., was re-elected mayor. T. C. Farquhar, Dem., was re-elected city treasurer. The councilmanic ticket elected was as follows: First ward—Select, J. P. N. Coulter, James McVicker, Rep.; common, William Isaacs and John Daniels, Rep. Second ward—Select, Frank Yohn, Rep.; common, C. C. Bentley, Rep; common, Charles Sutman, Dem. Third ward—Select, Frank Colvin, Rep.; common, W. P. Stephens and Harry Downer, Rep.

TITUSVILLE, PA., Feb. 21.—The result of the city election with two precincts complete and the rest estimated shows the election of the whole city ticket by the Democrats as follows: Mayor, J. C. McKinney; controller, J. A. C. Dunbar; treasurer, J. J. McCrum.

J. DENNY O'NEIL WINS FIGHT IN M'KEESPORT

Several of the Wards Were Hotly Contested—Winners in the Councilmanic Campaign.

County Recorder J. Denny O'Neil, the Citizen leader in McKeesport, was apparently a victor at yesterday's election, although the fight in the Fourth, Eighth, Tenth and Eleventh wards was close. The following are the successful candidates:

First ward—Select council, David Rosenberg; school controller, W. J. Roseborough; constable, A. H. Freeman.

Second ward—School controller, D. P. Smith; common council, J. D. Evans and R. Hampson; constable, W. S. Lloyd.

Third ward—Select council, Charles Parker; school controller, C. P. Fiedler; constable, W. C. Means.

Fourth ward—School controller, G. W. McKee; common council, F. J. Murphy and J. T. Roche.

Fifth ward—Select council, John N. Dersam; school controller, Thomas D. Hughes.

Sixth ward—School controller, J. L. Hammitt; common council, J. J. Hill and J. J. Bedell; constable, Samuel Truby.

Seventh ward—Select council, William A. Siefert; school controller, J. D. Foster.

Eighth ward—School controller, Robert Trotter; common council, R. W. Gordon, Sr., and Jacob Volk; constable, W. J. Lauderback.

Ninth ward—Select council, B. Volk, Jr., school controller, S. Parker; common council, Thomas Cassin.

Tenth ward—School controller, J. F. Calhoun; common council, William Woy and James F. Kemp.

Eleventh ward—Select council, C. F. Langhurst and O. R. Dougherty; school controller, W. J. Dunlap; alderman, Martin Yester; constable, Jesse Reedy.

TOSSED A COIN.

T. Jefferson Haworth Wins a Councilmanic Tie Vote In Bellevue.

T. Jefferson Haworth, the wholesale grocer, became a councilman from the First ward, Bellevue, on the toss of a coin. The vote was 113 for Haworth, the Republican nominee, and 113 for Ralph Minehart, who was running for re-election on the Independent ticket. Capt. W. B. Rodgers of the Second ward and Henry Cooper of the Third ward were re-elected upon the Independent ticket. The others elected are: School directors, Second ward, R. C. Rankin and John Brovan; auditor, R. T. Neal; constable, David Key.

In the Second ward Mrs. A. Starr Martin, candidate for school director, received 83 out of 236 votes.

"Peggy from Paris" at the Duquesne.

Josie Sadler, Arthur Deagon, Alice Hageman, Florence Willarde, E. H. O'Connor and Dan Baker, and all the other clever persons who have contributed to the success of George Ade's merry musical play, "Peggy from Paris," will be with the company that is coming to the Duquesne next week with the witty comedy. The fame of this musical play and the success it has achieved will insure it a cordial welcome to Pittsburgh.

Ran Into Open Switch.

The Leetsdale express on the Ft. Wayne railroad, due in Pittsburgh at 8:30 a. m., ran into an open switch at Marion avenue, Allegheny, yesterday and the engine and six coaches were thrown from the track. A wrecking crew was hurried from the shops and soon had the road open for traffic.

REPUBLICANS WIN IN THE BOROUGHS

In Many of the Smaller Municipalities the G. O. P. Made a Grand Sweep.

KNOCKS FOR LOCAL OPTION

Republicans were very generally successful in the boroughs throughout Allegheny county, and in many places the Grand Old Party made a clean sweep. Where the liquor license question was raised the temperance vote generally showed overwhelming strength. The results follow:

BRADDOCK—The vote was the largest in years as there was a bitter fight in every ward for every office, except justice of the peace. Frank T. Redman for justice, and Simon Stump for auditor, the only general offices in the borough to be filled were not opposed. For all other offices there was a fight between the straight Republicans and the Independents. First ward, council, J. J. McCarty; school director, William Oskin. Third ward, council, Thomas Cosgrove, G. E. S. Gray. The only break in the Republican victory was in the Fourth ward, where George Soles, Independent, defeated Richard Shelby, Republican, by 248 to 235 votes.

HOMESTEAD—In the Second ward there was a hot fight. The Democrats placed Dennis Murray against the Republican candidate for council, Harry A. Haley. First ward, council, John D. Stahl; school director, A. K. Mitchell; constable, Thomas Stinton. Second ward, council, Harry A. Tisley; school director, George A. Gessner; constable, Daniel McGeary. Third ward, council, Arthur E. Norte; school director, John Witherspoon; constable, Frank Bell. Fourth ward, council, J. H. J. O'Donnell; school directors, J. H. Williams; constable, R. R. Calvin. Fifth ward, council, William H. Williams; school directors, three years, G. V. L. Wickerham; one year, E. D. McCormick; constable, Walter Donaldson.

DUQUESNE—There was an interesting fight between the friends of Senator John W. Crawford and the Carnegie Steel faction. The latter won by getting control of council. First ward, council, Levi D. Miller; constable, John Kelley. Second ward, council, John St. Clair and Christopher Hargrave; constable, Charles McGee. Third ward, council, Michael Heffner; constable, Daniel Dooley.

RANKIN—The Republicans made a clean sweep, defeating the Independents by an average majority of about 125 votes. Justices, Gideon H. Jaquay and Ignatz Horr; council, August Mann, Joseph Hohander and Rufus Hall; school directors, L. H. Bishoff, J. S. Donnellan and George Barnett; auditors, Fred Lewis, Peter Caulfield and George Ford.

NORTH BRADDOCK—There was no fight of any account except for council in the Third ward, where the Republican ticket won by a close margin. Elsewhere the Republicans had easy majorities. Auditor, G. G. Fleming; council, Fred Schuman, W. J. Vance and C. Sheridan Newton; school directors, George B. Whitfield, S. R. McClure, John F. Lowers and John W. Hanna.

EDGEWOOD—The Citizens elected every candidate. Auditor, Clarence R. Collins; constable, Charles Miles; council, M. Garland, William S. Gordon and C. C. Mellor, for long term; for two years, John M. Clifford; school directors, for two years, M. D. McWhinney and R. W. Anderson; for one year, W. J. McCance.

MUNHALL—Council, Norman A. Whitten and C. O. Posten; school directors, W. C. Martin and John Bell; constable, Joseph Morris, Jr.; auditor, Arthur Morris.

BEN AVON—The Citizens party won. The only contest was for school director on the issue as to whether a High school should be organized. The candidate opposed to it won. Council, T. B. Wolfe, J. K. Turner and F. O. Evans; school director, J. P. Bragdon and Charles F. Harwood; auditor, William Sturgeon, Jr.; constable, Otto Zieger. The vote on saloon licenses was 1 for and 154 against.

AVALON—The Republican ticket had a clean sweep. Mrs. Mary M. Lashley, candidate for school director on the Equal Rights ticket, was defeated. Council, John A. Gibson, Wesley D. Kelley and William Cotton; school directors, Alexander Hamilton and William J. K. Snyder; auditor, George Siefert and D. H. McLean; justice, George W. Miller; constable, John W. Stutsman. Liquor license was defeated.

GLASSPORT—The Republican ticket won without opposition; school directors, A. E. Lapsley and Edward McMillan; high constable, William Barbetta; constable, Henry Harper.

CORAOPOLIS—The only fight of importance was for council between the Citizens and Republicans, and the latter party won out. Council, Alvar C. Purdy, Republican and Prohibition; E. H. Ferree, Citizens and Prohibition; L. A. Reed, Republican; auditor, L. M. Jenkins, Republican and Prohibition; constable, J. B. Boggs, Republican, Prohibition and Citizens.

SEWICKLEY—The Union Republicans were victorious, the vote being small and almost unanimous for those elected. First ward, council, W. E. Patton; auditor, A. D. Mellinger; school director, the Rev. E. M. Milligan. Second ward, council, Frank G. Paulson; school director, Joseph Nevin; auditor, A. D. Mellinger.

EDGEWORTH—The Republican candidates were elected with large majorities. Council, Alexander Laughlin and F. F. Brooks; school directors, L. D. Evans and C. T. Byrnes; auditor, R. D. Haworth; constable, Henry Hartling.

GLEN OSBORN—The Republican candidates were elected. Council, Joseph O. Toynbee, T. B. Wylie and I. N. Denoon; school directors, D. T. Wylie, W. C. Duncan and J. J. Lawrence; constable, W. C. Duncan; justice of the peace, W. C. Duncan.

EMSWORTH—The Republican ticket won. Council, Alexander Stewart and O. F. Spear; school directors, J. G. Slevin and Frederick Tudeburg; auditor, A. J. Sevin; justice of the peace, Edward W. Gibson; constable, Eugene Sweitzer. The vote for liquor license was 28 for and 115 against.

OAKMONT—These Republicans won: Council, F. C. Jones, E. A. Schnabis and A. S. Garner; school directors, S. H. Paul and George Macrum; constable, Albert Magee; auditor, Harry Mateer; justice, J. E. Murray.

WILKINSBURG—These Republicans won: Auditor, B. F. Shafer; high constable, J. Thompson; First ward, council, W. J. Elkin; school director, J. D. Anderson; Second ward, council, Dr. J. M. McNall; school directors, J. N. Lindsay (three years), W. H. Miller (one year); constable, H. W. McKalle; Third ward, council, E. V. Peffer; school directors, J. R. Wylie (three years), J. C. Cox (one year); constable, E. D. Brush.

CARNEGIE—The Republicans made a clean sweep. The bond issue of $50,000, opposed by the Democrats, carried by a vote of 370 to 290. Auditor, John Rodis, John T. Walker and William J. Reese; treasurer, Joseph H. Walker; high constable, A. H. Tartar; First ward, council, William Irwin; school director, James C. Cubbage, register-assessor, John Reese; constable, George Foster. Second ward, council, W. G. Bigham; school director, Samuel Gamble; register-assessor, John B. Hites; constable, Jacob Streitenberger.

McKEES ROCKS—Four tickets were in the field, the Republican, Citizens and Play-fair factions fusing against the Democrats, who were defeated. Council, Jefrey Davis, W. W. Cotter and Charles W. Ashton; school directors, Harry J. Smith and Edward K. Haines; auditor, James F. Smith; high constable, Andrew C. Armstrong; constable, John Bryan.

ESPLEN—The Republican ticket was the only one in the field. The $25,000 bond issue for street improvements was defeated by 109 to 70. Council, J. L. Dietrich, W. S. McCutchey and Robert Gray; school directors, Robert Messick and Samuel Foster; school directors, for one-year term, J. W. Schuck; auditor, Arthur Booth; constable, Michael Roach.

INGRAM—The Republicans made a clean sweep. Council, W. P. Carman, Thomas Steele, F. C. Coulter and F. C. Hendershott; school directors, Dr. L. C. Bodkin and J. M. Askin; auditor, E. C. Sawhill; constable, John A. Aiken.

SHERADEN—The Citizens won in the First ward and the Republicans in the Second and Third. First ward, council, E. J. Rosen; school directors, H. H. Segal and George Fuller; auditor, A. M. Jans; justice, John Hall, Jr.; constable, John W. Brown. Second ward, council, E. I. Jans, John M. McConnell and George W. Brooks; school director, Herman Haupt; auditor, J. C. Manning; justice, John Hall, Jr.; constable, C. Kohl. Third ward, council, William Abercrombie; school directors, William Clark and Albert C. Hill; auditor, J. C. Manning; justice, John Hall, Jr.; constable, John Clichun.

GLENFIELD—The Citizens-Democratic party won, electing the following: Council, for three years, C. A. Poe, W. E. Lyon and C. W. Ireland; one year, C. C. Phillips; school directors, three years, William McMurphy and A. B. Golden; two years, Albert Mitchell; auditor, Charles Sprague; constable, J. K. Seandrett. A bond issue of $15,000 for sewers was defeated by 116 to 9.

WHITTAKER—Republicans were elected to all the offices. Auditor, John F. Hill; councilman, John Rosert and A. B. Trieme; school directors (three years), James King and John Orris; (two years), John Y. Strang.

ASPINWALL—The following Republicans were elected without opposition: Council, S. M. McMeren, J. H. Martin and William Dyer; school directors, H. A. Stout, W. C. Davis and W. F. Parkins.

CHAPPSBURG—The election resulted in a sweeping victory for the Republicans over the Democratic-Citizens party. The heaviest vote in the history of the borough was polled. Council (three years), W. C. Tibby, J. J. Bech and George Seavy; (one year), Thomas H. Young; school directors, J. J. Brown and Edward McRoberts; auditor, G. S. Arnold; high constable, W. D. Thompson. The closest vote was in the fight for constable, Jesse Kleinfelter, Republican, won over John Newell, Democrat, by 10 votes.

EAST McKEESPORT—The Republicans elected all but one candidate. Council, John W. McWilliams, E. G. King and Lewis Schmertz; school directors, Richard C. Beswick, George Kidd and W. C. Gillan; auditor, Arthur W. Thompson; constable, C. E. Gibson.

WILMERDING—The Citizens made a clean sweep for the first time since the organization of the party. Council (for three years), George M. Huwe, George Meanor and Thomas Campbell; (for two years), Leonard L. White; school directors, John D. Flude and John McCormick; auditor, John W. Martin, Jr.; high constable, Thomas H. Kennedy; constable, Harry F. Davenport.

FAIRMAIN—The Citizens elected their candidates and carried the $20,000 bond issue for a school building through by a good majority. Council, G. H. Lichtensels, S. F. Salyard and James F. Martel; school directors, J. E. Lichtensels and G. W. Smith; auditor, George B. McDowell; justice, C. E. Kiefer, Republican; high constable, W. B. Selton; constable, William Cunningham.

CRAFTON IS REDEEMED.

Republican Candidates Are Elected and a Supply of Pure Water Is Expected to Follow.

Crafton, which for several years has been electing independent tickets, was redeemed yesterday, four Republican candidates for council and other borough offices being elected by large majorities. The Republican candidates, however, were members of councils who had been previously elected on Citizen-Democratic nominations.

The only fight was in the First ward, where Clark T. Beggs, (Ind.), opposed Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, the regular Republican nominee, for the long term, and David Newell, (Ind.), opposed A. S. Holliday, (Rep.), for the short term. Fitzpatrick received 195 votes, Beggs 95, Holliday 158 and Newell 125. It is said supporters of Newell traded votes in an attempt to elect him, which accounts for the difference in the ticket, but this the Newell people deny.

In the Second ward W. C. Clark, (Rep.), had no opposition and was elected, while Will Davis, (Rep.), Third ward, was also elected without opposition. This victory for the Republican candidates is an indorsement of a businesslike administration which has made Crafton property boom and brought about a number of improvements which has been appreciated. The water question was settled by the last administration in a manner satisfactory to the residents, and more advantages in this respect is expected next year.

The Present councils are working hard for filtered water, and this seems assured after the vote of confidence given them yesterday.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Monongahela House—L. L. Knox, Youngstown; J. P. Bowers, Moundsville; E. Hughes, Bimersburg; W. A. Riddell, Sharon; John J. Gill, Edgeport; J. E. Brennen, Latrobe.

Griswold—L. G. Hall, Rochester; A. W. Holland, Morgantown; J. M. Walsh, Youngstown; C. R. Rodinbaugh, Lancaster; W. Dewoese, Waynesburg.

Seventh Avenue—C. C. Burley, Altoona; S. Heelman, Sharon; J. A. Sage, Wheeling; W. J. Richardson, Warren; F. Smith, Clearfield; J. C. Frederick, Salem.

Duquesne—E. S. Bowman, Wheeling; S. M. Cornell, Blairsville.

Henry—B. Mitchell, Wheeling; J. F. Weaver, Clearfield; J. Z. Wilson, Titusville; H. L. Thomas, Uniontown.

Colonial—R. M. Storm, Warren; S. S. Vancleve, Wagnesburg; F. Sheridan, Youngstown; J. C. Randall, Akron; A. J. Brown, Marietta; Lincoln—R. M. Geyser, Altoona; Dr. B. Richey, Oil City; J. M. Birch, Wheeling.

Antler—S. W. Jones, New Castle.

Newell's—P. R. Jones, Jeannette; S. W. Franklin, Connellsville.

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Fischer upright, used, perfect	$165
Antisel upright, used	$110
Twenty new upright pianos, latest improvements, fully warranted, now	$188
$15 down, $7 per month.	
Decker Bros. upright, used	$190
Behr Bros. upright, new	$265
Estey upright, new	$255
Hardman upright, used, perfect	$295
Stehway upright, like new	$310
Chickering upright, like new	$348
Schomacker upright, new	$270
Chickering baby grand, like new	$475
Haines Bros. upright, like new	$280
A. B. Chase, like new	$268
Stanley square piano	$ 40
Haines Bros. square piano	$ 65
Estey organ, with mirror, new	$ 70
Good organ, high class	$ 25

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A baby who frets, worries, or cries, or sleeps poorly is probably poorly nourished, unless there is actual disease. Mellin's Food provides plenty of good nourishment; easily digestible, and does away with all fretting and crying. Try Mellin's Food; we will send you a sample.

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Protect Themselves From Catarrhal Diseases by the Use of Pe-ru-na.

Prominent Army General Praises Pe-ru-na.

Gen. James R. O'Beirne, 200 Broadway, Washington, D. C., writes:

"As many of my friends and acquaintances have successfully used your Peruna as a catarrh cure, I feel that it is an effective remedy, and I recommend it as such to those suffering from that disease as a most hopeful source of relief."

Ex-Lieutenant Morgan of the U. S. Navy Recommends Pe-ru-na.

James M. Morgan, 1785 20th St., Washington, D. C., Ex-Lieutenant U. S. Navy, Ex-Lieutenant Conf. Navy and Ex-Consul General to Australia, writes:

"The use of your Peruna as a remedy or cure for catarrh by many of my friends who have been benefited by the same, as well as my own experience as to its efficacy and good tonic properties, causes me to recommend it to all persons."

The constant exposure to the elements of an outdoor life is not so apt to excite coughs and colds as sedentary habits.

Those who are brought to face the weather every day in active life are much less liable to catarrhal diseases than those who are housed up in ill-ventilated rooms.

And yet both of these classes are more or less subject to catarrh and catarrhal diseases.

The soldier and sailor, as well as the civilian, find it frequently necessary to take Peruna on account of coughs and colds.

Col. Hamilton Uses Pe-ru-na In His Family.

Col. A. L. Hamilton, of the 17th Ohio Volunteers, who had command of a regiment during the Spanish-American war, writes from 250 Goodale street, Columbus, Ohio:

"Besides having the merits of Peruna so fully demonstrated in my family, I have a number of friends who have taken it for catarrh and stomach trouble, and all unite in praising it.

"As a remedy for catarrh, I can fully recommend it."

No one is exempt. The strong and healthy are less liable than the weak and ill, but none entirely escape.

Peruna has always been a great favorite with military men, both in the army and navy.

The strongest kind of testimonials are received from officers of high rank concerning the virtues of Peruna as a remedy for catarrhal ailments.

Only a very small per cent of these letters can be used for publication for want of space.

A reward of $10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, Columbus, Ohio, as a guarantee that the above testimonials are genuine; that we hold in our possession authentic letters certifying to the same.

Address Dr. S. B. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Germ troubles are so unnecessary--so easily cured; it is wrong to let them continue. Won't you try Liquozone--free?

If you are sick with a germ trouble, please let us show you how easy it is to get well. Let us show you at our expense; let us buy the first bottle for you.

This offer itself should convince you that Liquozone does as we claim. We would certainly not buy a bottle, and give it to you, if there was any doubt of results. You want those results—you want to be well. Then be fair with yourself; let us show you the way.

What Liquozone Is.

Liquozone is a product now used the world over in the treatment of germ diseases. In millions of homes it has done, and is doing, what medicine cannot do.

The virtues of Liquozone are derived solely from gas—largely oxygen gas. No drugs, no alcohol—nothing but gas enters into it. The process of making takes fourteen days, and requires immense apparatus. Then we get one cubic inch of Liquozone for each 1,250 cubic inches of gas used. This process has, for more than twenty years, been the constant subject of scientific and chemical research.

The result is a germicide so certain that we publish on every bottle an offer of $1,000 for a disease germ that it cannot kill. Yet it is not only harmless, but remarkably helpful. The effects are exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying. Even a well person feels its instant benefit. The reason is that germs are vegetables; and Liquozone—like an excess of oxygen—is life to an animal, but deadly to vegetal matter.

There lies the great value of Liquozone. It is the only way known to kill germs in the body without killing the tissues, too. Any drug that kills germs is a poison, and it cannot be taken internally. For that reason, medicine is almost helpless in any germ disease, while Liquozone is almost certain. We proved this fact for years, through physicians and hospitals, in thousands of the most difficult cases obtainable. Then we paid $100,000 for the American rights—the highest price ever paid for any discovery used in the cure of sickness.

Germ Diseases.

These are the known germ diseases. All that medicine can do for these troubles is to help Nature overcome the germs and such results are indirect and uncertain. Liquozone attacks the germs, wherever they are. And when the germs which cause a disease are destroyed, the disease must end, and forever. That is inevitable.

Asthma	Hay Fever—Influenza
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Bronchitis	La Grippe
Blood Diseases	Liver Troubles
Bright's Disease	Malaria—Neuralgia
Bowel Troubles	Many Heart Troubles
Coughs—Colds	Piles—Pneumonia
Consumption	Pleurisy—Quinsy
Colic—Croup	Rheumatism
Constipation	Scrofula
Catarrh—Cancer	Skin Diseases
Dysentery—Diarrhea	Stomach Troubles
Dandruff—Dropsy	Throat Troubles
Dyspepsia	Tuberculosis
Eczema—Erysipelas	Tumors—Ulcers
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All diseases that begin with fever—all inflammation—all catarrh—all contagious diseases—all the results of poisons or poisoned blood. In nervous debility Liquozone acts as a vitalizer, accomplishing what no drug can do.

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If you need Liquozone, and have never tried it, please send us this coupon. We will then mail you an order on a local druggist for a full-size bottle, and we will pay the druggist ourselves for it. This is our free gift, made to convince you; to show you what Liquozone is, and what it can do. In justice to yourself please accept it today, for it places you under no obligation whatever.

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VENEZUELA MEETS HER OBLIGATIONS

Representative So States—Declares Seizures of the Asphalt Lake But Temporary.

SETTLEMENT IS PROBABLE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Dr. Jose De Jesus Paul, who came from Caracas a few weeks ago as the Venezuelan representative on the French-Venezuelan arbitration commission, meeting in this country, has returned to Washington and today called at the state department, where he talked with Assistant Secretary Loomis. Dr. Paul is also special diplomatic envoy of Venezuela to the United States and he will present his credentials to Secretary Hay in a few days. It is regarded as likely that his mission here will result in some sort of an agreement on some of the questions now pending between the United States and Venezuela. In an interview tonight Dr. Paul said:

"The frequent statement made in the American press that Venezuela has not been meeting her obligations to foreign governments is absolutely untrue. We have no intention of evading the payments stipulated in the Washington protocols and the decision of The Hague. Thirty per cent of the revenues of the customs houses of Laguayra and Puerto Cabello is punctually applied to the satisfaction of these compromises. The debt of Venezuela has not increased one dollar under President Castro.

"The recent decision in the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company case in the high federal court did not mean that the court took the Guanoco lake from the company. It had to do solely with an appeal taken by the defendant from the action of the president of the court, in placing an embargo on the asphalt lake and appointing a receiver to take charge, pending the final outcome of the suit. The decision means that the embargo must stand until the termination of the case, although it does not in any way affect the case itself."

The Death Roll.

William D. Comparet.

William D. Comparet, aged 48, died yesterday at the home of his brother-in-law, H. M. Butler, 732 Ivy street, after several months illness. He was a son-in-law of P. H. Laufman and was at one time engaged in the steel industry in the Kiskiminitas valley. The past few winters he spent in South Carolina, owing to ill-health. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and several fraternal orders. He is survived by his widow and two children, Hunt M. Comparet and Mrs. Arthur Dudley Carriger. He is also survived by two brothers and a sister, residents of Ft. Wayne.

Mrs. Jane Grant Hunter.

Mrs. Jane Grant Hunter, aged 83, died last evening at her residence, 3203 Fifth avenue. She was the oldest child of James and Elizabeth Grant, who settled in Pittsburgh in 1800, and was born in a house which stood on Liberty avenue, near Fourth street, December 21, 1821. In 1850 she was married to William B. Hunter, who died in 1871. She was a member of St. Paul's Cathedral. She is survived by four children—James G., William B., Misses Virginia and Mary Hunter, and by five grandchildren.

Conrad Hardt.

Conrad Hardt, a prosperous farmer residing near Gibsonia, Pa., died suddenly yesterday morning from heart failure. He was born in Germany in 1847 and came to this country when a boy, locating in the Monongahela valley. For a number of years he was a member of the German Lutheran church. He is survived by a widow, six daughters and three sons. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at his late residence, and interment will be in the German Lutheran cemetery.

Dr. John Wetherell.

Word was received here yesterday of the death on Sunday of Dr. John Wetherell of Allegheny. Dr. Wetherell was at the home of his sister at Coatesville, N. J., when the end came. The funeral services over his remains will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m., at the family home, 33 East Lacock street, Allegheny.

Obituary Notes.

The Rev. W. A. Stanfield, aged 73, a well-known minister of Oil City, died last night at 3202 Bouquet street.

Mrs. Mary Gossert Smith, aged 83, widow of John R. Smith, is dead at the home of her son-in-law, C. S. Shaefer, 120 North Evaline street.

Mrs. Magdalena Pfahler, aged 67, is dead at her home in Eden Park, McKeesport. She was born in Germany and is survived by nine children.

Nathaniel Montgomery, aged 63, a farmer, is dead at his home in Wilkins township, from pneumonia. He was born in Wilkins township and spent his entire life there. He is survived by his widow and one sister, Mrs. Nancy Black.

Edward C. Drew, aged 21, is dead at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Drew, 2895 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. He was a law student at the time of his death. He is survived by his parents and a brother, Attorney James B. Drew of this city.

George B. Gibson, one of the best known residents of New Castle, Pa., is dead at his home from injuries received in a fall last Saturday. He was 72 years of age and had been twice married. The deceased was appointed a postmaster by President Cleveland in 1892.

George A. Fielding, aged 69, is dead at his home, 609 Conress street, McKeesport. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Agnes, Rose, Stella, Genevieve, Ruth and George, at home, and Mrs. M. A. O'Brien, Mrs. Harry Weol and Mrs. Walter McAtee, also of McKeesport.

Augustus D. Havener, aged 72, is dead at East Liverpool, O. In 1895 he removed to Pittsburgh and four years ago went to East Liverpool. He is survived by a son, William C., and a daughter, Annie W., wife of E. W. Bartlett, editor of the Evening Review, both residents of East Liverpool.

Christian Ellerman, aged 75, for half a century a resident of Tarentum, is dead. He was born in Germany and is survived by his wife, one son, Hermann of Tarentum, and four daughters, Mrs. George A. Shoop, Tarentum; Mrs. F. M. McDowell, Mrs. John Minnick and Mrs. Henry Kaiser of New Kensington.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Henderson, aged 45, widow of William J. Henderson, is dead at her residence, 5710 Walnut street, after a short illness of typhoid-pneumonia. She is survived by her father, James T. Reed of Pleasantville; three brothers, Alfred and Frank Reed, of Pleasantville, and William Reed of Tyrone, and one sister, who lives in Walnut street.

Mrs. Mary McClain, widow of John McClain, aged 67 years, a pioneer of Brookfield, is dead at Sharon, Pa. She was born in Brookfield and lived there 50 years. She was a member of the First Christian church. The following children survive: Councilman James N. McClain of Sharon, William and Vina of Brookfield and Mrs. F. H. Bendure of Conneautville.

William Pascoe, one of the oldest merchants of New Kensington, Pa., is dead, aged 64 years. He was a native of Schuylkill county. He is survived by his widow and the following children: William H., Nettie and Mrs. Lizzie Spang, who live here; John A., Washington, Pa.; Mrs. J. F. Culler, Brownsville, and Mrs. Orion King of Clinton, Pa. Four brothers and two sisters also survive.

Mrs. Mary Cyphers, aged 50, is dead at her home, 58 Mayflower street. She was prominent in church work and was a member of St. Peter's and St. Paul's German Catholic church, of which her brother, the Rev. Joseph Suhr, is rector. She is survived by her husband, Joseph C. Cyphers, three sons, Frank, Edward and Joseph A., two brothers, the Rev. Joseph and Frank Suhr of Pittsburgh, and two sisters, Mrs. Lena Knorr of Pittsburgh and Mrs. Elizabeth Miller of Buffalo.

Be Sure

that the house into which you move the wife and children this spring and in which they must pass about all their time, is absolutely uncontaminated and healthful.

The only way you can be sure is to require a certificate of disinfection—under bacteriological test—from your agent, as unanimously suggested by The Allegheny County Medical Association.

The cost is nominal; the results are of benefit beyond price. Consult Chamberlain, the Sanitarian, 320 Fourth avenue, Bell 'Phone 2886 Court.

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ROCKEFELLER IS LAWSON'S GAME

Boston Man Declares He Will Return Magnate's Billion Dollars to the People.

HIS VIEW OF LIFE INSURANCE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, MASS., Feb. 21.—Thomas W. Lawson, in an interview today, said: "There is great danger in the Kansas situation. Those people are thoroughly aroused and I hope they will stay awake. If they don't the Standard Oil will, by pretended submission, turn the apparent discomfiture into a great advantage. My only hope is that the people of Kansas have gone so far they cannot back down. They will confiscate that pipe line and a railroad if they are not stopped by the Standard oily ways. Then if a few more states will join and finish the job the people may come into their own.

"Scared? They are so scared they don't know what to do. Why, they have no nerve. They are the greatest cowards in Wall street. John D. Rockefeller is the only cool and conservative one. He has to be, because it is impossible for him to turn all his wealth into money. He and the big estates he manages at No. 26 Broadway are calm and absorbing. I am going to bankrupt the whole crowd at No. 26 Broadway without any public panic. You smile—well, they smiled, too, when I began, but it is different now. They are lucky—they have been lucky—but I will bankrupt every one of them. I am going to take John D. Rockefeller's billion dollars away from him and give it back to the people he took it from.

"One thing I wish the people would quit is this business of canceling their life insurance in the big companies. I am not an enemy of life insurance. It is one of the grandest institutions in the world. The policy holders have been robbed of hundreds of millions of dollars, but now that public attention has been called to it, the money is safe, and I believe that much of the stolen money can be recovered.

"I know how the money was taken from the policy holders. I have many times alloted underwritings for Rogers. He'd give me a list of companies, and I'd write opposite each the amount I thought should go there. He'd take the list and say: 'Give those life insurance companies a million apiece more of it,' and so it would be. They never knew they were in the deal until we told them. It was always all right. Life insurance companies must be under federal control."

AFTER THE CLERKS AGAIN.

A. F. of L. Organizers Have Novel Plan to Disrupt Salespeoples' Assembly.

The American Federation of Labor organizers are using a novel plan with a view of disrupting Salespeople assembly No. 4907, K. of L. After being defeated three different times in their efforts to get the salespeople under the control of the A. F. of L. they are distributing a circular with a request that all union men sign and forward the same to the stores which have contracts with the K. of L. union. The circular reads as follows:

"Dear sirs: Hereafter in purchasing goods I will insist that the clerk must show me a current monthly working card of the Retail Clerks' Protective Association, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, or I will refuse to make the purchase."

Several hundred have been distributed among organized workmen.

ADDITIONAL LAWS NEEDED TO ADMIT VETERANS' WIVES

Representative John Dalzell will be asked to present a bill altering the laws now governing the management of the National Home for Disabled Veteran Soldiers, so as to admit both husbands and wives. Chief of Police William Bennett of Braddock, who recently took the matter up with President Roosevelt, yesterday received a letter from Gen. Martin T. McMahon, president of the board of managers of the home, stating there was no authorization for maintaining soldiers and their wives jointly at the home and nothing could be done without additional legislation.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Herman Meyer	Findlayville
Elizabeth Geddin	Findlayville
Frank M. Egan	Pittsburgh
May E. Brown	Pittsburgh
Harry B. Clemens	Braddock
Ora B. Thompson	Braddock
Edward O. Grove	East Pittsburgh
May Harding	North Braddock
Hugh Miller	McDonald
Boden Robinson	Hays
Alfred Ruckstuhl	Pittsburgh
Lena Bechtold	Pittsburgh
David Jamison	Allegheny
Nellie Hollermann	Allegheny
Benjamin A. Johnson	Heidelberg
Jane A. Wood	Carnegie
William J. Berardi	Derrick
Florence C. Reilly	Pittsburgh
Thomas E. Scully	Allegheny
Mary Kerans	Allegheny
Edward McKeever	Pittsburgh
Annie Hope	Pittsburgh
Otto Rossmiller	Allegheny
Olga Reidel	Allegheny
David E. Powell	Pittsburgh
Annie McDonald	Pittsburgh
David C. Williams	Allegheny
Carrie Klein	Allegheny
William Jones	Pittsburgh
Mary Gross	Allegheny
Homer, Watkins	McKees Rocks
Nellie Haslett	McKees Rocks
David W. Bechtel	Allegheny
Mary E. Phillippi	Allegheny
Charles R. Rhoades	McKeesport
Rose M. Hay	McKeesport

RUMMAGE SALE OF GOOD PIANOS

$10 Down and $1.50 a Week for Any of Them, and Some of the Best Makes Are Included.

In going through our stock for a general cleaning up, which we are obliged to do once in so often, we find a number of good second-hand pianos that have been taken in exchange on new ones. These we want to dispose of during this week, as we need the room they occupy for new goods now in transit, so in order to be sure of doing it, we offer the whole lot for $10 down and $1.50 a week each.

There are some very excellent bargains among them, for instance: One is a very good Hardman upright; the case is scuffed some, but the tone is still good and a child could learn on it very nicely. $110 will buy it.

One is a Chickering Upright. It is also in fairly good condition, a very desirable piano for a beginner; $125 will buy this one.

Another is a Kranich & Bach Upright, a very well-preserved instrument, thoroughly modern, and in every way a dependable piano; $140 buys this one.

In this lot is also included a very fine $450 Kimball Upright that was used for a time by Prof. Bissell. It is practically as good today as ever it was; $260 buys it.

A fine full-sized Steinway Upright is also included. You could hardly tell that this piano had been used at all, as it shows but very little trace of use. It can be had for $250.

Remember, these are all good, reliable makes of pianos that have been used, not cheap, unknown new ones, and you can buy any one of them for $10 Down and $1.50 a Week During This Week.

AMBUHL BROS.,

622 Smithfield St.

The place to buy good pianos Right.

PENNSYLVANIA TO LEAD ALL STATES

Will Have Biggest Representation in Inaugural Parade—The Americus Big Figure.

RENTS WHOLE HOTEL FLOOR

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.

In both the civic and military divisions of the inaugural parade Pennsylvania will have a more pretentious and larger representation than any other state. In order to permit Pennsylvania to send all of the troops that Adjt.-Gen. Stewart had designated to come it was necessary for the inauguration committee to modify slightly the order restricting the number of troops from each state. The Pennsylvania troops will have the most commodious quarters of any. In addition to the free quarters which have been allotted to Pennsylvania Adjt.-Gen. Stewart has leased Convention hall, the largest auditorium in Washington. The rent for the building for the occasion, exclusive of its equipment for occupancy by the troops, will be $1,000.

Pennsylvania takes the lead in sending political clubs for participation in the festivities, having a representation of 12 Republican organizations. New York is second with 8 and Ohio third with 7. Of the 12 Pennsylvania political organizations which will participate in the parade the Americus club of Pittsburgh will be the most notable. The club has rented an entire floor of one of the leading hotels of the city. The club comes 200 strong with a band. They will be in command of Maj. H. W. McIntosh, and with their red, white and blue umbrellas are bound to attract more than their share of attention. Other Pennsylvania organizations will be the Young Men's Republican Tariff club, also of Pittsburgh; the Union Republican club of Philadelphia; the Citizens Republican club of the same city, the Carlisle Indians, from Carlisle, and 150 students from Grove City college. Besides these there will be the following Philadelphia marching clubs: Peter E. Smith, Israel W. Durham (two); James L. Goodall, David Martin and Horatio B. Hackett.

L. W. STRAYER.

For dyspepsia, colic and exhaustion, no remedy like Parker's Ginger Tonic.

Parker's Hair Balsam is life to the hair.

DIED.

ALSTON—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 9:30 p. m., RAYMOND J., son of John A. and Emma Shafer Alston, in his 3d year.

Funeral services at the parents' residence, 1309 Murtland avenue, East End, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

CLARK—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 4 p. m., Mrs. MARY EUGINNISS, widow of James Clark of Sharpsburg, in her 80th year.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Frank H. Clark, No. 14 Grace street, Mt. Washington, Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. High mass at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's of the Mount church. Interment private.

DOWNS—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, JAMES DOWNS, in his 68th year.

Funeral from the residence of his brother-in-law, Thomas Kean, 2212 Juliet street, Fourteenth ward, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(New York papers please copy.)

HARDT—Suddenly, on Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 7 a. m., CONRAD HARDT, in his 59th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Gibsonia, Pa., Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment at German Lutheran church cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HUNTER—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 8 p. m., JANE GRANT, widow of William B. Hunter, Sr., aged 83 years, at her residence, 2315 Fifth avenue.

Notice of funeral later.

JEFFERY—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 11:30 a. m., Mrs. MARTHA JEFFERY (nee Elliot), in the 78th year of her age.

Funeral services at her late residence, Cliff Mine, Pa., Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Train will leave Pittsburgh & Lake Erie station at 12:55, city time.

KELLENBERGER—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 10:20 p. m., FRED KELLENBERGER.

Funeral from his late residence, 108 Fulton street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Pittsburgh lodge No. 59 are respectfully invited to attend.

M'DONNELL—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 5 o'clock p. m., MELLIE, daughter of Capt. James and the late Ellen Brennen McDonnell.

M'KIM—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 1 p. m., at the residence of her son-in-law, David Hastings, 57 Brown avenue, Turtle Creek, Pa., LETITIA COOK, aged 65 years, widow of William McKim.

Notice of funeral later.

M'MILLEN—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 4 a. m., at the residence of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Elisabeth McMillen, No. 1915 Webster avenue, SARAH M'MILLEN, widow of Samuel McMillen, aged 91 years.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of her son-in-law, Jesse W. Young, No. 7110 Race street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment later in Allegheny cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MACFERRON—On Saturday, February 18, 1905, at his winter home, St. Augustine, Fla., ROBERT CAMPBELL, eldest son of the late David Macferron, treasurer of Allegheny, in the 63d year of his age.

The remains can be seen at the chapel of H. Samson, Sixth avenue, on Wednesday.

MILLER—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at Pennsville, Mrs. ELIZABETH A. MILLER, wife of Lewis F. Miller.

Funeral services at residence Thursday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock. Interment at Middle Churches, near Mt. Pleasant, Pa.

MONTGOMERY — NATHANIEL MONTGOMERY.

Funeral from his late residence, Wilkins township, today at 2 o'clock. Interment at Beulah cemetery.

MUELLERSCHOEN—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 7 o'clock p. m., CHRISTIAN MUELLERSCHOEN, beloved husband of Anne Muellerschoen, in his 58th year.

The time of the funeral, taking place from his late residence, No. 114 Charles street, Allegheny, will be published later.

PARR—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at New Orleans, WILLIAM R. PARR.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

PARR—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 6 a. m., FLORENCE SIMPSON, wife of Samuel A. Parr.

Funeral services at residence, 5366 Madison avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private Thursday afternoon.

PHILLIPS—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 11:55 p. m., at the family residence, 226 South Negley avenue, EMMA JANE, only child of J. Hartley and Bessie A. Phillips (nee Lew), aged 9 months and 6 days.

Funeral services this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in South Side cemetery.

RAPP—On Monday, February 20, 1905, at 2 o'clock a. m., at her residence, Perrysville, Pa., Mrs. ANNA MARIA RAPP, in her 77th year.

Funeral on Wednesday, February 22, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905 at 3:30 p. m., MARY GOSSERT, widow of John R. Smith, in her 83d year.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, C. S. Shaefer, 120 North Evaline street, East End, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

(Chambersburg papers please copy.)

STANFIELD—On Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 2:15 p. m., the Rev. W. A. STANFIELD, aged 77 years.

Services at residence, 3202 Bouquet street, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Franklin, Pa.

WETHERELL—On Sunday, February 19, 1905, at the home of his sister at Coatesville, N. J., Dr. JOHN PORTER WETHERELL.

Funeral services at the family residence, No. 33 East Lacock street, Allegheny, Thursday, February 23, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment private.

ZIMMERMAN—At the family home, 1143 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, on Tuesday, February 21, 1905, at 12:45 a. m., MARY MAGDELINE, wife of Joseph Zimmerman, in her 59th year.

Funeral on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. High mass at St. Philomena's church, Fortteenth street. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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EAR TERRORISTS AT THE FUNERAL

Elaborate Plans to Safeguard Russian Dynasty at Grand Duke's Obsequies.

ASSASSIN MAINTAINS SILENCE

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.—(1:10 a. m.)—Great precautions are being observed in the arrangements for the obsequies of Grand Duke Sergius at Moscow Thursday morning and in connection with the service in the chapel of the Alexander palace at Tsarkoe-Selo at the same hour. The attendance at Moscow will be limited, and the body of the grand duke will be interred in one of the several chapels of the monastery where it now lies. Foreign sovereigns intending to send personal representatives and who in some cases already have designated them have received an intimation that the presence of such representatives, in the existing painful circumstances, would be embarrassing. Except the family and immediate entourage, ministers and foreign ambassadors, no one will be admitted to the chapel at Tsarskoe-Selo. No secretaries or other embassy or legation attaches have been invited.

Even in the midst of his grief over the death of Grand Duke Sergius, evidence exists that Emperor Nicholas is giving his attention to political developments, but reports as to his intentions are conflicting. Indications point towards a decision to revive the zemsky sobor, and some rumors even give the date when the proclamation convening that body will be issued. These rumors, however, probably are premature, but there is little doubt in the best-informed quarters that the emperor's decision will be favorable, although it is understood that the court party is still fighting desperately for time, maintaining that it would be an irreparable blunder to yield in the face of terrorism, even if it should be advisable later on.

Contrary to previous reports, it is now said that the last word from Grand Duke Sergius to the emperor, contained in a letter brought by Prince Schirinsky Schakatoff, was to stand firm. According to earlier reports Sergius, seeing that opposition was useless, outlined in this letter a plan for a zemsky sobor, restricted as much as possible in its powers.

The railroad strike stuation is reported to be growing worse in the southwest, and private advices are said to show the existence of a reign of terror in Tiflis and the Caucasus generally. Many murders by Tartars and Armenians are reported. Communication has been almost cut off, even the telegraphers striking, the few who are still at their keys being kept there with pistols at their heads. The railroad employes at Dorpat struck yesterday. The situation in Poland along the Austrian border is also causing great uneasiness.

MOSCOW, Feb. 21.—The assassin of Grand Duke Sergius maintains an attitude of profound indifference. When pressed to reply to questions he declared that all the efforts of the authorities would have no result. Before his victim was laid under earth other victims would be found. Regarding his motives the assassin said he only acted in the interests of an oppressed people. He considered the deed was an act of duty. The grand dukes had for years violated every canon of ordinary decency and ruined the country while exploiting the weak will of the emperor for their own ends. They had made him a tyrant so that the people execrated him. He was aware that the emperor was an innocent dupe and his party had decided to deliver the emperor from the evil influence surrounding him in the hope that he some day would join in the movement and become head of a national government based on western lines. Neither the police nor their spies, the assassin added, will be able to protect those who are doomed to death.

WARSAW, Feb. 21.—Railway officials here fear that traffic will soon be completely disorganized. Incoming trains are almost empty, while those outgoing are full. Disturbances are reported in neighborhood schools. The police have arrested many pupils. The night of February 20 strikers killed a Jewish leather merchant. While the city is generally quiet anxiety and uneasiness are manifest everywhere. The great strike continues in the Dembrowa and Sosnovice districts, where there is much lawlessness such as robbery of persons and plundering of houses and shops.

LODZ, Feb. 21.—The factories have commenced taking on new hands to replace strikers. The situation is extremely uncertain.

LIBAU, Feb. 21.—The number of strikers is increasing, but there are no disturbances.

DELEGATES ARRIVING.

Representatives of Institutions of Learning Gather to Attend Inauguration of Chancellor S. B. McCormick.

Many of the delegates who will represent seminaries, colleges, academies, and universities from all sections of the country at the inauguration of the Rev. Dr. Samuel B. McCormick as chancellor of the Western University of Pennsylvania in Carnegie music hall today, arrived in the city last night, while a greater number are expected early this morning.

At 10 o'clock this morning a procession will move to the music hall, where President Alexander Dempster of the board of trustees of the university will preside over a special service of oratory and music, in which prominent members of the clergy will participate and during which Judge John D. Shafer will administer the oath of office to Chancellor McCormick.

The procession will consist of five divisions, headed by George H. Clapp as chief marshal. The divisions will march as follows: Faculty of the university, trustees, delegates and representatives, students and alumni.

In the afternoon another session will be held in the music hall, when representatives of colleges and universities will make addresses and an elaborate musical program will be carried out. Following the afternoon session a reception will be held in the art gallery by Chancellor and Mrs. McCormick and the board of trustees.

WESTINGHOUSE WINS SUIT.

Court Holds Its Tesla Patents Have Been Infringed by Milwaukee Electric Company.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—In a decision handed down in the United States court, Judge Seaman holds in favor of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company in its suit against the National Electric Company of Milwaukee.

The court found, as alleged in the complaint of the Westinghouse company, that the Milwaukee company, in manufacturing a synchronous motor and alternating current polyphase generator, is infringing on certain Tesla patents owned by the Westinghouse firm. The Tesla discovery for which these patents were given, revolutionized the art of electric power transmission.

BARTON FILES ANSWER.

Attorney Replies to Bar Association's Proceedings for Disbarment.

The answer of Attorney L. C. Barton to the proceedings of the Allegheny County Bar association, asking for his disbarment, has been filed. Barton does not deny that he was sentenced to the Allegheny county workhouse for six months on a charge of embezzlement, but he says he was pardoned after serving one month, and this pardon, he says, relieved him of any further consequences of the act. He contends that there were mitigating circumstances in the case and it was shown that there was no criminal intent.

Barton says he has a wife and three children depending upon him, and that his practice of law is his sole means of livelihood. Since being released from the workhouse, he says, he has established a good practice, and has not only the confidence of his clients, but of a great many members of the bar.

Alumni to Give Dormitories.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Feb. 21.—It is announced that, under the auspices of the Yale class of 1894, a committee has been appointed to promote a movement for raising funds for five new dormitories at Yale.

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Lafayette Alumni Association Banquet

Former Students Around the Table at the Hotel Henry.

The annual reunion and banquet of the Lafayette alumni association of Western Pennsylvania was held last evening at the Hotel Henry. The event was celebrated by about 75 members and friends. Several out-of-town guests were present, some of whom assisted in entertaining. The principal guest was E. D. Warfield, D. D., L.L. D., president of Lafayette college, at Easton, Pa. S. C. Long, president of the alumni, opened the program with a few facts regarding the condition of the alumni. R. A. Kennedy acted as toastmaster, and, according to the program, was expected to observe the quotation of Bacon, which reads, "Let him be sure to leave other men their turn to speak." J. H. Harrison was called upon to respond to "Reminiscences." He was followed by E. B. Huey, whose subject was "Lafayette Extension." Edward Hart, Ph. D., professor of chemistry of the college, spoke on "Sciences at Lafayette." The principal address was delivered by the Rev. Warfield, and he handled his subject, "Lafayette," in an interesting manner. Between the addresses college songs were rendered.

GRIPENBERG FRIGIDLY RECEIVED BY CZAR

Nicholas Was Annoyed Because General Had Given an Interview Before Seeing Him.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 21.—Gen. Gripenberg's reception by the emperor was frigid, the monarch being gravely annoyed because the general had given a newspaper interview before seeing him.

Dantchenko, the famous Russian war correspondent and friend of Kuropatkin, made a sensational speech at the Hermitage restaurant, Moscow. He denounced the war as futile, benefiting the bureaucrats only. He says it means ruin to Russia.

The Grand Duke Alexis started tonight for Moscow. When remonstrated with he replied: "I am on the list of those condemned to death, so it does not matter."

The Grand Duke Vladimir is too ill to go. The emperor sent a representative to the frontier to meet the Grand Duke Paul, bearing all the uniforms, decorations and a message. He has been restored to all the ranks, titles and emoluments sequestrated at the time of his recent marriage.

CREMATED IN ORE DUST.

Terrible Fate of a Workman in the Edgar Thomson Steel Works—Child Burned to Death.

Augustus Flangis, a laborer in the Edgar Thomson steel mills, met with a horrible and fatal accident while at work yesterday. He was walking along the edge of a car load of red-hot "downcomer" dust being sifted from the blast furnaces when he lost his balance and stepped upon the crust of dust just as a fellow laborer opened the drop-door at the bottom of the car.

His body drifted with the released dust and was hidden in a smouldering pile from view of a dozen workment powerless to assist him. His clothing was burning as he disappeared and his body was brought to the surface later, a black mass. Notwithstanding his horrible burns he lived 14 hours and died last night. He was 38 year old and is survived by a wife and two children in Italy.

Lizzie Allen, aged 10, died yesterday at the Passavant hospital as a result of burns received Thursday atthe home of her parents, 26 Emmett street. The child was standing in front of the grate and her clothing caught fire.

Deputy Coroner O'Brien yesterday investigated the death of Solomon Coleman, 2324 Smallman street, who died last Saturday. It was reported that Coleman's death resulted from a gunshot wound inflicted last November, but it was found that he died from inflammatory rheumatism.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

WASHINGTON, PA.—While playing with a revolver, Stanley Craig, son of John Craig of West Middleton, was seriously injured by the discharge of the weapon, the bullet penetrating his left lung.

ASHTABULA, O.—Freight traffic on the J. and F. branch of the Lake Shore railroad is almost at a standstill pending the hurrying forward of traffic on the main line, which was blocked by the recent storm.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Daniel H. Pearsall of Bentleyville has sold to the Moorhead Coal Company of Pittsburgh 3,000 acres of coal, partly in this county and partly in Hancock county, W. Va., for approximately $360,000.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—The big Stewart tract of land, including the Ohiopyle Falls and all buildings, was bought from the Stewart heirs by J. A. Guiler, J. L. and S. A. Kendall of this place. The price was $125,000. The tract contains 2,700 sores.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Work on the $1,000,000 courthouse of Westmoreland county may be stopped through injunction proceedings by the county commissioners, Architect William Kaufman of Pittsburgh having notified the board that the structure is not being erected according to specifications.

SHARON, PA.—A. A. Corey, who came here from Homestead to take charge of the open-hearth department of the Carnegie Steel Company, was today made superintendent of the looming mills and finishing mills. David Christy, whom he succeeded, was transferred to the South Sharon works.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—The agreement of merger and consolidation whereby 11 electric light companies have been consolidated, forming the Western Pennsylvania Electric Company, has been recorded here. The capital stock is $387,500. The officers are William S. Kuhn, president; Jacob VanWagoner, vice president; Jesse H. Purdy, secretary, and John F. Cockburn, treasurer, all of Pittsburgh.

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JAPANESE GENERALS ARE AT LIAO YANG

Gen. Nogi, With the Ninth Division from Port Arthur, Has Also Arrived There.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MUKDEN, Feb. 21.—Reports from scouts show that the Japanese have constructed three lines of narrow gauge railway from Beiliigai to Padyaza, or Houhai hill, and from Shakhe to Sinchinpu.

The staffs of Field Marshal Oyama and Gens. Kuroki and Oku are at Liao Yang, which is strongly fortified. The ninth division, commanded by Gen. Nogi, has arrived at Liao Yang, and the first division is now arriving there.

There are reports that the Japanese are reinforcing Korea. Chinese say siege guns are being retired.

A secret order issued by Gen. Oku has been captured. It says:

"Through all fights all, from the chief to the last soldier, have done their duty. They have not spared their stomachs, and have driven back the enemy everywhere. Nevertheless we have not yet been able thoroughly to defeat the enemy. The most difficult and heaviest fighting is yet before us, and the end of the war is far distant.

"Let commanders instruct subordinates that any hesitation or irresolution increases the loss, and a determined attack causes less. It is therefore imperative to advance with determination. Commanders must punish the unworthy without the slightest mercy. There must be no following personal inclinations, except in the strict line of duty."

Japanese prisoners say their troops are well fed, having meat almost daily. The prisoners have been touched with the sympathy of the Russian soldiers who provide for them with care.

LENA'S OFFICERS DID BREAK THEIR PAROLES

Admiral McCalla Says They Individually Promised Him Not to Go Beyond Limits.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The navy department today received a report from Admiral McCalla, commandant of the Mare Island navy yard, stating that the three Russian officers of the Lena who left the ship at San Francisco, and are now in St. Petersburg, gave him individually and personally their paroles not to go beyond the limits of San Francisco, except upon express permission from the president of the United States or in accordance with any arrangement that might be reached touching their movements between the governments of Russia and Japan.

The three officers were granted a week's leave from their ship, which lies at Mare Island, to visit San Francisco, their applications being approved by the captain of the Lena. The naval officers here feel that it is only fair to this officer to say that he appears to be greatly distressed at his subordinates' disappearance, and has furnished Admiral McCalla such information as he has been able to secure touching their whereabouts.

No orders have been sent to Admiral McCalla to suspend further paroles in the case of the Lena's officers and crew, and he will be allowed to exercise his discretion in dealing with the matter. No response has yet come from St. Petersburg to the representations that have been made by the state department concerning the disappearance of the three Russian officers.

HIGH COAL RATES ARE REAFFIRMED FOR YEAR

Railroads Refuse to Remove Discrimination Against Pittsburgh Operators in Effect Now.

Reaffirmation of the rates on coal for lake shipment in force for the past two years, was decided upon at the meeting here yesterday of the Western Pennsylvania & Eastern Ohio Railway Traffic association. The meeting was held at the Hotel Schenley and was largely attended by the traffic executives and department heads.

The meeting was noteworthy for its disregard of the claims advanced by the Pittsburgh operators, who have pointed out for three years the discrimination in favor of Ohio operators which the present schedules and conditions grant.

The rates causing the greatest discussion are those of 88 cents a ton from Pittsburgh to Lake Erie ports and 85 cents a ton from Ohio mines to the same ports. The Ohio rate includes loading of coal on vessels. This service is worth 9 or 10 cents a ton and the effect is to give the Ohio shippers 7 or 8 cents a ton advantage over Pittsburgh. The rates on Pittsburgh shipments are the highest ever attained.

The rate from the Fairmont district of West Virginia to the lake is fixed at 91½ cents. The rate from Pittsburgh to Chicago is $1.90.

No String to This Gift.

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Announcement was made today that James Coolidge Carter, a leading member of the New York bar, who died recently, has bequeathed $200,000 to Harvard university, practically without restrictions as to the method of its expenditure.

ORGANIZATION SCORED A ONE-SIDED VICTORY

Walkover for Regulars in Philadelphia—Gross a Probable Winner in Harrisburg.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—The election in the city today resulted in a one-sided victory for the Republican organization. There was practically no opposition to City Solicitor John L. Kinsey, and he was re-elected by the usual Republican majority. The Republicans elected all 10 candidates for magistrates by majorities somewhat below that polled by the head of the ticket. The Democrats elected their five nominees for magistrates, and one member of common council.

Magistrate J. M. Rush Jermon, who headed the City party or reform ticket, was defeated by a decisive majority. The City party candidates put up a fight in a half dozen or so wards. In many wards the Republicans contributed liberally in the way of votes for the Democratic magisterial candidates. In a few wards the Democrats voted for the Republican candidates for councils.

Election returns from the 42 wards in the city were unusually late, owing to the unusually large number of "scratched" ballots. With the exception of arrests in a few wards, the election passed off with comparatively little disorder.

HARRISBURG, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Edward Z. Gross, Republican, for mayor, has probably defeated ex-Mayor John A. Fritchey, Democrat, by 500 majority. The remainder of the Republican city ticket, with the possible exception of O. M. Copelin, Democrat, for city treasurer, has been elected by large majorities. The Republicans here also elected a majority of the councilmen and school directors.

A city detective and four patrolmen were dismissed from the police force today for insubordination and violation of the rules prohibiting members of the police department from participating in the election. These officers were ordered to report for duty this afternoon, as is required on all holidays, and refused. Chief Hutchinson immediately issued an order for their dismissal. All of the dismissed officers are friends of Dr. Fritchey.

Steelworker Dead of Injuries.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—As a result of a slip in one of the stacks of the Ohio plant, Carnegie Steel Company, last night, one man is dead and another is in a critical condition. George Powlik, aged 20 years, was buried under a flow of hot ashes and was burned from head to foot. He died before he arrived at the hospital. John Sabwayake, aged 30 years, was frightfully burned and is expected to die. The men were cleaning out the fuel dust catcher when the slip occurred.

IF A 2 CENT STAMP WILL SAVE YOU HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS AND YEARS OF SUFFERING AND ANNOYANCE,

Wouldn't it be a pretty good investment? If you are a sufferer from Catarrh or Deafness, send a two-cent stamp to Pretzinger Bros., Chemists, Dayton, O., and they will mail you a sample of Pretzinger's Catarrh Balm, which has been proven by thousands to be a positive cure for all forms of Catarrh and its kindred affliction—deafness. Easily applied—gives instant relief, and you'll thank us for the advice. For sale by druggists. If not, a full sized jar will be sent prepaid on receipt of 50c. But send for the sample first. That'll prove the claims of Pretzinger's Catarrh balm.

"I have used the sample you sent me and find that your balm will do all that you said for it. The first application did its work; it opened up my nostrils so that I could breathe quite well through them, the first time for five years. Tried most all other cures without effect."

W. G. Wright, Van Wert, Ohio.

TOOK A STRAW VOTE.

Interesting Experiment in a Restaurant.

An advertising agent, representing a prominent New York magazine, while on a recent western trip, was dining one evening in a Pittsburgh restaurant.

While waiting for his order he glanced over his newspaper and noticed the advertisement of a well-known dyspepsia preparation, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. As he himself was a regular user of the tablets, he began speculating as to how many of the other traveling men in the dining-room were also friends of the popular remedy for indigestion.

He says: I counted twenty-three men at the tables and in the hotel office. I took the trouble to interview them and was surprised to learn that nine of the twenty-three made a practice of taking one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal.

One of them told me he had suffered so much from stomach trouble that at one time he had been obliged to quit the road, but since using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets had been entirely free from indigestion, but he continued their use, especially while traveling, on account of irregularity in meals and because like all traveling men he was often obliged to eat what he could get and not always what he wanted.

Another, who looked the picture of health, said he never ate a meal without taking a Stuart Tablet afterward, because he could eat what he pleased and when he pleased without fear of a sleepless night or any other trouble.

Still another used them because he was subject to gas on stomach, causing pressure on heart and lungs, shortness of breath and distress in chest, which he no longer experienced since using the tablets regularly.

Another claimed that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets was the only safe remedy he had ever found for sour stomach and acidity. He had formerly used common soda to relieve the trouble, but the tablets were much better and safer to use.

After smoking, drinking or other excesses which weaken the digestive organs, nothing restores the stomach to a healthy, wholesome condition so effectually as Stuart's Tablets.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain the natural digestives, pepsin, diastase, which every weak stomach lacks, as well as nux, hydrastin and yellow perdita, and can be safely relied on as a radical cure for every form of poor digestion. Sold by druggists everywhere.

RAW ITCHING ECZEMA

Blotches on Hands, Ears, and Ankles For Three Years. Instant Relief and

SPEEDY CURE BY CUTICURA

"Thanks to Cuticura I am now rid of that fearful pest, weeping eczema, for the first time in three years. It first appeared on my hand, a little pimple, growing into several blotches, and then on my ears and ankles. They were exceedingly painful, itching, and always raw. After the first day's treatment with Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, there was very little of the burning and itching, and the cure now seems to be complete. (signed) S. B. Hege, Passenger Agent B. & O. R. R., Washington, D. C."

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If You Anticipate Raising a Pumpkin for Our Hallowe'en Contest, Please Send for Free Seeds—$300.00 in Prizes.

Winners of the Ad. Guessing Contest as appeared in this paper Saturday, February 18th: Miss Norma Evans, 1213 Esplanade St., Allegheny; Anna M. Stewart, 62 Greenbush St., Mt. Washington, City; Anna Crouch, 6 Albert Flat, Stevenson and Colwell Sts., City; Mary Shafer, 1501 Monterey St., Allegheny; Miss Luella F. Richey, Coraopolis, Allegheny County, Pa.; Mrs. Wm. Hoffenfeller, Sheradanville, Pa. Orders for prizes have this day been mailed the above lucky winners.

CHADWICK CASE ENGULFS OTHERS

Five Bankers Are Indicted With the Woman by the Federal Grand Jury.

CALLS HER MADAME DE VERE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 21.—The federal grand jury late this afternoon reported two additional indictments against Mrs. Chadwick in connection with her operations through the closed Citizens National bank of Oberlin.

A. B. Spear, cashier of the Oberlin bank, was indicted on the charge of misapplying $80,000 of the bank's money August 24, 1903; also of issuing two drafts on the Importers and Traders National bank of New York, on the same date, for $50,000 and $30,000, respectively, and making false entries in the bank's books. Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, "alias C. L. Chadwick, alias Madame DeVere," was indicted "for aiding and abetting the said A. B. Spear, cashier of the Citizens National bank of Oberlin, in all of said offenses."

Another indictment charges Mrs. Chadwick with conspiring with C. T. Beckwith, president, and Cashier Spear of Oberlin bank to commit offenses against the United States. This refers to the bank's officials certifying checks drawn by Mrs. Chadwick when, it is alleged, she had no funds on deposit.

There are now seven indictments against Mrs. Chadwick in the United States district court. There are also three in the state court, making 10 indictments standing against her.

The federal grand jury today also returned an indictment against L. P. Ohlinger, president of the Wooster National bank, of Wooster, O. He is charged with embezzlement, abstracting the bank's funds and making false entries in the bank's books. J. R. Zimmermen, managing director of the same bank, was indicted for aiding and abetting in the same offense.

Other Bankers Indicted.

Ohlinger was also indicted separately on a charge of perjury in having made a false oath, so it is alleged, to the report of the bank's condition, which was sent to the comptroller of the currency.

C. M. Travers and O. Lillie, president and cashier, respectively, of the First National bank of Conneaut, O., were jointly indicted on 13 counts. They are accused of making false entries in the books of the bank and in the reports; with misapplication of the bank's funds; with embezzlement, and with conspiracy to commit offenses against the United States. Lillie is also separately indicted on two counts for making an alleged false oaths to the report to the comptroller of the currency.

District Attorney Sullivan announced today that he expected to try Mrs. Chadwick first on the conspiracy indictments. Mrs. Chadwick and the other persons indicted today will be given an opportunity to plead next Monday in the federal courts.

Trustee Loeser of the Chadwick bankruptcy estate made the first move today toward the final dissolution of the old Chadwick mansion at No. 1824 Euclid avenue. Loeser filed a motion in the United States district court, asking leave to sell the real estate. This is the old Chadwick home, which Dr. Chadwick turned over to his wife soon after their marriage.

Question of Jewels.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—C. F. Leach collector of customs at Cleveland, and Comptroller of the Currency Ridgely have had a conference with Secretary Shaw in regard to the jewels which were once the property of Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick, and are now in the possession of the comptroller as a part of the assets of one of the banks from which Mrs. Chadwick secured a loan by pledging them. There is some doubt whether the customs duties ever were paid on these gems and officers of the customs service will be detailed to ascertain the facts. If the duties have not been paid, they will be a charge against the bank which received them as collateral.

WHILE MURDER IS DONE POLICE STAY AT POLLS

Negress Will Probably Die from Knife Thrust, but Her Assailant Escapes.

Gertrude Snowden, a negress, aged 24, is dying at the Allegheny General hospital from a knife wound inflicted, it is believed, by Nelson Hall, a negro with whom she had been living at 610 Kilbuck street, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon. Owing to the intense interest the police were taking in the election, Hall escaped.

Hall and the woman lived on the third floor and the other inmates of the house say the man was jealous and quarrels were frequent. They went to their room about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and about 4 o'clock Hall left the house. One of the inmates heard the woman moaning and found her lying bleeding on the bed. She said Hall had stabbed her and left the city.

A physician was called, and finding the woman's condition very serious, had her sent at once to the hospital in a patrol wagon. The physician also notified Policeman Joseph Gossmann, who investigated the case and learned who stabbed the woman. There were a dozen or more policemen at the voting places in the First ward school house a block way, when the stabbing took place, but only Gossmann was sent to investigate the matter. He could get no trace of Hall and soon went back to his post at the school house.

Hall is well known to the police and they claim that in case the woman dies they will not have much trouble in catching him.

STUDENTS TO PRAY FOR PRESIDENT HARPER

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—President W. R. Harper has begun to fast preparatory to a surgical operation to be performed tomorrow at the Presbyterian hospital. Dr. Harper has eaten the last food that will be given him until 24 hours after he recovers from the anaesthetic. Tomorrow morning a mass meeting of students and professors will be held in the university chapel to pray for Dr. Harper.

CAN NO LONGER IGNORE CASE AGAINST HOOKER

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 21.—The state bar association today voted to be represented at the proposed legislative investigation into the charges against State Supreme Court Justice Warren B. Hooker. The action of the association rescinds that taken at the annual meeting which voted to take no further steps in regard to the matter.

Murphy Victim of an Old Game.

T. J. Murphy, who keeps a butter store at 2024 Carson street, received a message yesterday afternoon asking him to go to a telephone in an adjoining store. He went, and while absent a sneak thief entered his place and stole $15 from the cash drawer.

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BOODLE FUND IS BUGABOO TO HIM

Alderman Kratz' Lawyers Are Fighting to Keep Bribe Money Out of Court.

FEAR IT MAY PREJUDICE CASE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]
BUTLER, MO., Feb. 21.—In the trial of Charles Kratz, former member of the St. Louis municipal assembly, charged with accepting a bribe while a member of that body, Judge Denton today ordered the $60,000 bribery fund which the state has impounded, and which has been used in other trials as evidence against Kratz's co-defendants, to be brought into court.

The trust company having the fund in charge contended it could not obey the order as the company was directed by the St. Louis circuit court to hold the money. Judge Denton overruled this contention.

The defense is fighting against the introduction of the money, contending that such introduction would be prejudicial to the interests of the defendant.

Philip Stock of St. Louis, testified that on October 9, 1901, he was asked by Charles H. Turner to secure the passage of the suburban railroad franchise bill through the municipal assembly, and that the next day he saw Kratz and asked his help. Stock said Kratz told him that it would take $75,000.

Stock then gave a detailed account of the alleged negotiations between himself and Kratz, which resulted in his placing $60,000 in $1,000 bills in a safe deposit box in the Mississippi Valley Trust Company, Kratz having been appointed a representative to hold one of the keys to the box until the passage of the bill, when it was to be divided among the members of the so-called "combine," in the council.

John G. Brinkmeyer of St. Louis, who, Stock testified, was the agent appointed by Kratz to receive one of the keys to the safe deposit box, testified he placed the $60,000 in the box after counting it. He said he was told by Stock and Kratz to keep the key and that he did so until he surrendered it to the grand jury.

SOUTHERN IRON COMPANIES WILL ENTER INTO MERGER

Syndicate Is Reported Already to Have Purchased Control of the Tennessee Corporation.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—It was reported this afternoon in Wall street that control of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Company had been purchased by a syndicate and the negotiations for a merger had been conducted by this syndicate and not by the directors. Joseph H. Hoadley of this city, who is said to be interested in the syndicate, made the following statement:

"A syndicate has already been formed to combine the sounthern iron companies and if the caucuses now being held between the representatives of the different companies result satisfactorily, three banking firms will finance the deal."

Mr. Hoadley declined to give the names of the banking houses.

Tennessee Coal and Iron stock rose 2¾ points on the stock exchange today, and its high price was 17 points above the price four weeks ago.

KANSAS GAS ELECTION.

Stockholders of the Local Company Choose Directors to Serve During the Coming Year.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kansas Natural Gas Company yesterday at the company's offices in the Farmers bank building, the following directors were elected: T. N. Barnsdall, J. C. McDowell, R. M. Snyder, R. A. Long, J. S. Scully, A. B. Baxter, James O'Neill, E. P. Whitcomb and Harry W. Davis.

After the stockholders' meeting the newly-elected board organized by choosing for president, Mr. Barnsdall; vice presidents, R. M. Snyder of Kansas City and James O'Neill of Webb City, Mo.; general manages, J. C. McDowell; treasurer, C. S. James, and secretary, J. S. Scully, Jr.

MANY LOCAL PLAYS TO URGE TEMPERANCE

The cause of temperance will be supported by means of the drama in many forms during the present week. In the hall of the German corps of the Salvation Army, 819 Middle street, Allegheny, "The Drunkard's Home" will be performed by amateurs on Thursday evening. On Friday evening, "The Saved Drunkard's Home" will be presented in the same hall by the same company. "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" was given in the Butler Street Methodist Episcopal church last night. Meanwhile "The Curse of Drink" is holding the boards at the Bijou theater and "Man's Enemy," in the form of John Barleycorn, is being presented at the Avenue theater.

"A MOTHER" AIDS CALEB POWERS

Voices a Pretty Sentiment in Contributing What She Can for Justice.

FUND HAS NOW REACHED $770

To Caleb Powers fund. Only $1. I wish I had more. A MOTHER.

Enclosed in a plain envelope bearing the above sentiment, a $1 contribution to the Caleb Powers fund was received at the business office of The Gazette yesterday. It speaks eloquently for the sympathy that must find place in the bosom of every lover of equity and fair play, for a man who has been bereft of liberty, of family, and of every earthly possession, without privilege of being heard, and who has been denied the right of being judged by a jury of his peers.

A subscriber to the fund from Beaver Falls gives voice to the following conviction, which is general among all who have read the history of the persecution of Powers without prejudice:

Find enclosed $1 for the fund to extend to Caleb Powers the possibility of a fair and impartial trial, as I believe it a privilege which he has never enjoyed.
JOHN G. MOFFET.

A recent contributor to the fund expressed himself as thankful for the opportunity to assist justice, in the following words: "Permit me to thank you for this opportunity to contribute this small sum in a worthy cause."

The Gazette fund, inaugurated to assist Caleb Powers in presenting a defense upon his coming fourth trial, has reached $770. All contributions sent directly to The Pittsburgh Gazette, or given to John W. Ohrum, who has been authorized to solicit subscriptions to The Gazette fund, will be acknowledged in these columns from day to day.

Subscriptions received yesterday:

"Cash"	$ 5
John G. Moffet, Beaver Falls	1
"A Mother"	1
D. D. Depue, New Brighton	1
"Cash"	1
Previously acknowledged—	
Perkins' Union detective agency	$ 25
W. S. Miller	5
Dr Charles H. Smith, Uniontown, Pa.	25
"Cash"	5
"X," Sewickley, Pa.	5
Alexander R. Peacock	25
H. B. Beatty	25
"Cash"	5
Francis L. Robbins	100
William Flinn	100
George T. Oliver	100
Lewis M. Brown	50
J. M. Schoonmaker	50
William B Schiller	50
D. M. Clemson	50
Thomas Morrison	50
James H. Reed	25
George I. Whitney	25
"Cash"	25
W. W. Blackburn	20
Total	$770

REDUCED THE DEFICIT.

Castle Shannon Road Again More Than Meets the Charges of All Kinds.

A further reduction of the deficit of the Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Company was accomplished by the management last year. In the two years since the Pittsburgh Coal Company obtained control of the road the deficit has been brought down from about $148,000 to $130,000.

The report shows 419,797 passengers were carried on the railroad, an increase of 24,244 over the preceding year. The number of passengers on the incline was 1,021,191, an increase of 132,928. The total earnings of the company amounted to $246,392 61. Of this amount $142,-344 07 was paid in wages to employes. The road sold 129,264 tons of coal, earning $161,664.

At the annual meeting of stockholders yesterday the following were elected: President, F. L. Robbins; directors, John A. Bell, A. H. Anderson, A. M. Neeper, W. H. Brunt, F. J. LeMoyne, F. M. Wallace, W. R. Woodford, S. P. Wood-side, J. B. Hornberger and G. W. Schleuderberg. The former officers will be re-elected, Mr. Robbins being president, Mr. Woodford vice president, Mr. LeMoyne secretary and Mr. Wallace treasurer.

GEN. MILES WILL NOT REPLY TO MRS. DAVIS

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Gen. Nelson A. Miles said today that he did not intend to make response to Mrs. Jefferson Davis' public letter in which she charges Gen. Miles with perpetrating cruelties as custodian of her husband at the close of the civil war. Gen. Miles said he probably would reproduce a photographic copy of a letter he had received from Mrs. Davis thanking him for his care of Mr. Davis as his prisoner.

APPROPRIATION AND LEVY BILLS SIGNED BY MAYOR

Mayor Hays announced yesterday that he had signed the appropriation and tax levy ordinances on the 16th inst., the day after they were finally passed in select council. They were all put away in the office safe in the rush of business, and as there was no necessity to return them to the city clerk, were allowed to remain there. They will be returned to the clerk tomorrow.

DRUGGISTS GIVING AWAY

MUNYON'S INHALER FREE WITH PAW-PAW

A COMPLETE AND POSITIVE CURE FOR CATARRH.

PAW-PAW
Purifies the Blood and Drives All Catarrh Poison From the System.

THE INHALER reaches the sore spots, heals the raw places. It penetrates obscure places where drugs taken into the stomach cannot reach. It acts as a balm and tonic to the whole system.

During the past year I have received hundreds of letters from people stating that my Paw-Paw had cured them of Catarrh. Upon a careful investigation I have satisfied myself that many cases of indigestion and Stomach trouble are due to the dropping of catarrhal poison into the stomach.

Catarrh is a blood disease and cannot be permanently cured by local applications. The discharges can be stopped with the inhaler, but the blood must be cleansed of all Catarrhal poisons before a permanent cure can be effected. So positive am I that my Paw-Paw and Inhaler will cure any case of Catarrh, whether of the Head, Nose, Throat, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels, that I purpose giving away my inhaler, absolutely free, with every bottle of Paw-Paw during the month of February.

Money Refunded
You absolutely take no risk. I assume all the responsibilities. I give you $2 worth of remedies for 85 cents, and say to you that if at the end of ten days you are not perfectly satisfied with the results, I WILL REFUND YOUR MONEY. I cannot be more fair.

Gives Instant Relief
Clouds of medicated vapor are inhaled through the mouth and emitted from the nostrils; cleansing and vaporizing all the inflamed and diseased parts which cannot be reached by medicine taken into the stomach.

Remember, the Inhaler, the Catarrh Tablets, the Paw-Paw Pills and the $1.00 size bottle of Paw-Paw will be given you for eighty-five cents (85c). The actual value of these goods is $2. I have cut the price to 85 cents in order that every person may take advantage of this complete treatment.

If your druggist is not prepared to furnish you this complete treatment, send me one dollar and I will send you the treatment by express, all charges prepaid.
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Extraordinary Offerings in Carpets and Rugs

Extra special offering of 125 Genuine Wilton Rugs—choice patterns and colors—made of fine $1.50 and $2.00 per yard Wilton Remnants—all 1½ yards long and finished with heavy wool fringe, special during this sale... $1.00

25 rolls of $1.35 Velvet Carpets go now at, yard... $1.00

30 rolls of $1.00 Brussels Carpets go now at, yard... 75c

Extra heavy half-wool Ingrain Carpets—good patterns—65c grade—now, yd.. 48c

$45.00 Sideboard $27.50

Golden Quartered Oak Highly Polished 4-foot Sideboard, with large French plate beveled mirror, artistic carving—large, heavy, massive board—reduced from $45 to... $27.50

$12 Morris Chairs $6.75

Full size highly polished, mahogany finish, Morris Chair, with spring seat—complete with velour cushions; actual value $12.00. A limited number go, while they last, at... $6.75

Bedroom Suites

Golden Oak Bedroom Suite—Beautifully hand-carved 3-piece golden oak Bedroom Suite—full swell front dresser with large size French beveled mirror. Reduced from $55 to... $39.75

Highly polished golden oak 3-piece Bedroom Suite, beautifully carved—serpentine dresser, with large pattern French plate mirror—reduced from $35 to... $23.00

Guaranteed Felt Mattress, covered with best grade ticking—full size—worth $11.00—special now... $8.75

China Closets

Quartered golden oak China Closet with round ends—half mirror back—66 in high—44 inches wide—reduced from $42 to... $29.50

Quartered Golden Oak China Closet—66 inches high—28 inches wide—reduced from $24 to... $18.00

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Large size Dresser, serpentine top—large French beveled mirror, beautiful golden oak finish, unmatchable elsewhere under $18. Our special sale price... $11.75

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Mount Vernon

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The Bottler guarantees the contents of the *Square Bottles.*
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Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 8.15 am	* 6.05 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.50 am	* 3.40 pm
Alliance and Crestline	* 8.50 am	* 4.40 pm
Cleveland and Buffalo	† 9.00 am	† 7.35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 9.00 am	† 4.35 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 9.00 am	* 7.05 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 9.30 am	* 7.05 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9.00 am	†10.55 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 9.00 am	†10.55 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 9.00 am	* 9.45 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 9.00 am	† 4.35 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 9.00 am	* 4.35 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 9.00 am	* 4.35 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 9.00 am	* 4.35 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 9.00 am	† 4.35 pm
The Cleveland Express	* 9.00 am	* 4.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 9.00 am	* 4.40 pm
The Toledo Special	* 11.30 am	* 8.30 pm
Columbus and Chicago	12.15 pm	* 1.00 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula, Jamestown	12.35 pm	† 1.10 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 1.00 pm	* 5.05 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 1.05 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 1.35 pm	† 1.00 pm
The St. Louis Special	* 2.00 pm	* 1.15 am
Zanesville and Steubenville	* 2.00 pm	† 7.40 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.00 pm	† 8.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.00 pm	† 1.30 pm
Niles and Youngstown	* 4.30 pm	† 1.30 pm
Jamestown, Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	† 1.30 pm
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5.00 pm	† 8.00 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4.30 pm	† 9.30 am
The Chicago Special	* 5.30 pm	† 7.40 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 5.30 pm	* 3.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 7.10 pm	* 8.50 am
Fincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 8.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 8.00 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.50 pm	* 8.35 am
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Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 6.40 am

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Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8.30 am	* 5.10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	* 8.40 am	* 7.15 pm
Buffalo and Eastern Exp	†12.35 pm	* 7.15 pm
Lake Chautqua Fast Line	*12.35 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 5.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex	* 5.30 pm	*12.50 pm
Boston Special	* 6.15 pm	* 4.35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.45 pm
Chicago Limited	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex	†10.30 pm	* 6.35 pm
Youngstown Accom	† 5.30 am	† 9.00 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 6.40 am	† 5.35 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 8.00 am	† 9.30 am
New Castle Accom	†11.55 am	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	† 3.30 pm	†12.15 am
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.50 am
New Castle Express	† 9.30 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	†10.25 pm	† 6.30 am
Brownsville Accom	† 6.10 am	† 6.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex	† 8.00 am	† 8.00 am
McKeesp't & Brownsville	†11.50 am	† 1.20 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 4.30 pm	† 4.50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 6.20 pm	† 6.45 pm

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Philadelphia and New York	3.35 a. m.	
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New York Limited, daily	1.35 a. m.	
Atlantic Express, daily	7.30 a. m.	
Main Line Express, daily	11.00 a. m.	
Day Express, daily	12.40 p. m.	
Mail Express, daily	12.45 p. m.	
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington	4.50 p. m.	
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	4.55 p. m.	
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Philadelphia Express, daily	8.00 p. m.	
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Cumberland Accom	* 4.00 am	* 2.05 pm
Connells. & Mt. Pleasant	† 8.30 am	†10.00 am
Wash., Balt. & N. York	† 8.00 am	* 2.45 pm
Conn'v, Uniontn & Fairm't	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom	† 9.15 am	† 5.05 pm
Comb., Wash. & Balt	† 1.00 pm	* 2.45 pm
Comb., Uniontn, Morgantn	† 1.30 pm	†10.00 am
Connells. & Mt. Pleasant	† 1.25 pm	† 5.05 pm
Connellsville Accom	* 4.00 pm	† 5.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5.00 pm	*12.50 pm
Philadelphia & New York Express (Daily)	* 6.30 pm	* 9.05 am
West Newton Accom	† 6.40 pm	† 9.20 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9.00 pm	* 7.45 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Columbus & Cincin. Exp	12.05 am	
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 7.00 am	*10.05 am
Cal. Ch. & St. L. Exp	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 am
Wheeling Express	† 1.05 pm	† 6.05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.15 pm	* 4.35 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac	* 5.35 pm	* 8.45 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp	* 5.00 pm	* 7.35 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Youngst	† 1.30 am	* 8.15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4.00 pm	* 8.15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8.05 pm	† 7.40 am

(Leave Allegheny.)

Butler	† 7.00 am	† 8.50 am
Butler	† 7.30 am	† 7.25 pm
Butler, Foxburg & Kane	† 8.15 am	† 5.55 pm
Butler and Erie	† 8.15 am	† 6.05 pm
Butler	†10.40 am	† 4.40 pm
Butler and Erie	† 1.15 pm	† 1.00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.15 pm	† 8.30 pm
Butler, Clarion & Greenv	† 3.50 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Edin'd & N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler	† 6.15 pm	† 8.50 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	† 6.15 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler	†11.30 pm	† 7.25 pm

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Eastern Standard Time.	Leave.	Arrive.
Buffalo & Rochester Express. (Cafe Observation Cars week days.) Reclining Chair Cars daily	* 8.00 am	* 7.00 pm
Dubois Accommodation	† 4.00 pm	†11.20 am
Buffalo & Rochester Night Express (Pullman Sleepers)	*10.00 pm	* 7.50 am

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THE SONG AND THE SERGEANT
A HUMOROUS TALE BY O. HENRY
IN NEXT SUNDAY GAZETTE

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THE ADVENTURE OF THE DANCING MEN
A NEW SHERLOCK HOLMES STORY
IN NEXT SUNDAY GAZETTE

PITTSBURGH BOWLERS ARE SHOWING IMPROVED FORM

BOWLED WELL, BUT NOT HIGH ENOUGH

Pittsburgh Team Put Up a Fair Score in the Two-Men Team Match.

NEW OFFICERS ARE NAMED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
MILWAUKEE, Feb. 21.—Pittsburgh's two-men team which bowled in the championship contests today made a very fair showing, but it was nowhere near the high scores which have been put up by other teams and the Pittsburghers will not get anywhere near the prize list on the showing already made. The scores made today were: G. A. Metzger, 155, 162, 140—457; P. Horaick, 222, 174, 180—585. Grand total, 1,052.

The singles and doubles held the alleys all day and until late tonight in the bowling tournament of the American Bowling Congress. In the singles William Ott of La Crosse leads with a score of 608. Nagle of Rock Island is second with 599.

Ward and McGuire of Chicago scored 1,177 points and are the leaders in the doubles, their closest competitors being Young and Newberry of Detroit, 1,161.

In the five-men team class Century, No. 1, Chicago; Farmers, Cleveland; Americas, Detroit; Crescents, Toledo, and Old Foresters, Louisville, lead in the order named.

J. H. Haager of Louisville was elected president without opposition and Philadelphia captured the next meeting of the American Bowling Congress today in a close fight over Louisville. The vote stood: Philadelphia, 26; Louisville, 24; Peoria, 2.

The only other real contest was for the position of secretary, and Sam Karpf of Layton, the incumbent, was re-elected over A. L. Langtry of Milwaukee by a vote of 39 to 29. Langtry's friends charge that many of the Milwaukee man's supporters were told the convention would be held in a hotel instead of at the exposition building, and that had it not been there Karpf would have been defeated. The vote shows that there were many absentees.

Other officers were elected as follows: First vice president, M. A. Phillips, St. Louis; second vice president, A. C. Anson, Chicago; third vice president, F. W. Gosewisch, St. Paul; treasurer, P. L. Pasellone, Chicago.

Executive committee—George Metzger, Pittsburgh; J. M. McCormick, Toledo, O.; P. J. Hills, Cleveland; N. J. Kaufman, Cincinnati; William Terry, Milwaukee; Wilbur Robinson, Baltimore; George Cox, Washington, D. C.; Robert Brison, Indianapolis; Godfrey Langhenry, Chicago.

The convention adopted the recommendations of the executive committee to prohibit open betting and also with regard to filing a bond by the next convention city for guarantee fund and prize list money. An adjournment was taken until tomorrow.

"I AM ONLY A KID."

That Is What Young Corbett Says and He Thinks He Will Win Over Nelson.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 21.—(Special.)—A week from tonight Battling Nelson of Hegewisch, Ill., and "Young Corbett" (William H. Rothwell) of Denver, Col., will meet for the second time in the ring at Woodward's pavilion, and judging present conditions and affairs, the return match between the rival 130-pounders will arouse more interest than the first bout.

It it could be definitely determined that it was poor condition, and nothing else, that caused Corbett's defeat in the last contest it would be comparatively easy to figure him a winner over Nelson in the coming contest. But even with Corbett himself, the "poor condition" theory is only a surmise. He was beaten by a large margin and it may be that, like Terry McGovern, Jim Corbett and many others, he had reached a point where, from various causes, his stamina or ruggedness, or vitality, or whatever you choose to call it, had in a great measure left him and he was destined to defeat. "There can't be anything like that the matter with me. I'm only a kid," said Young Corbett recently.

HAD TO HIRE A SUIT.

How Mike Donovan Attended a Reception With the President.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(Special.)—And this is Prof. "Mike" Donovan's latest Roosevelt story:

The president so enjoyed his boxing "go" with Donovan that he sent for him again last week. Donovan secured leave of absence from the athletic club for which he is instructor and went to Washington. He went a few rounds with the president, and after it was over Mr. Roosevelt invited "Mike" to attend the reception to be given the army and navy that evening. "Mike" replied that he had no suitable clothes.

The president laughed and sent for several of his own suits. They were all too big for "Mike," but seeing that the president wanted him to attend, he went and hired a suit for the occasion and was there with the rest of the militant Americans.

AMATEUR SKATING RACES.

Will Take Place This Afternoon on Duquesne Garden Ice.

Skating races will be the feature of the day this afternoon at Duquesne garden. Race manager John F. Davidson has arranged two events—a one-half-mile race for boys under 12 and a one-mile race for boys under 16 years of age. The latter will be a handicap, so that all the boys will have an equal chance. Those who had entered up until yesterday afternoon were:

Half-mile race for boys under 12—W. H. Kerr, Robert Mullen, John Sleley, Ik. Brisbine, George Steinhauer, Charles Kornman.

Mile race for boys under 16—F. L. Schweitzer, Clarence McFarland, T. K. Myler, Albert Dornscheuer.

The races will start at 3:30.

Pittsburgh Bowlers Were Beaten.

LATROBE, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—In an exciting contest on Schulte's alleys last night Chesney and Donnelly of the Latrobe bowling team defeated Rousseau and Trucks of the Arlington team of Pittsburgh. Latrobe winning out by 178 pins. Latrobe's total was 1,064 pins and the visitors' total was 1,720. The individual scores were:

Chesney	163	194	215	202	170—953
Trucks	162	164	184	171	143—822
Donnelly	153	225	173	154	240—951
Rousseau	192	199	180	173	160—904

AMATEUR BASEBALL GOSSIP.

The J. Walls will hold a meeting for the election of officers Friday at 7:15 p. m. at the Hotel Wall, Allegheny.

The Fisher A. C. of the South Side is ready to book games with the leading teams. Write William Fisher, 1709 Weigents alley, South Side.

The Nationals of Allegheny are arranging their schedule. All strong teams address C. V. Douglass, Eichbaum Co., Bessemer Power building, Pittsburgh.

The Lafayettes will meet tonight at the residence of H. Hammer. All players are requested to attend. For games address M. Marloff, 500 Chestnut street, Allegheny.

The Lincolns of the East End has elected these officers: President, George Fitzgerald; captain, P. McChesney; treasurer, P. H. Stevens; secretary, John I. Orr. An important meeting will be held Friday evening at Fitzgerald's residence. For games address John I. Orr, 6414 Dean street, E. E.

SENATORIAL DEADLOCKS ARE STILL UNBROKEN

DOVER, DEL., Feb. 21.—The joint ballot for United States senator in the legislature today was futile.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Feb. 21.—The legislative ballot for United States senator today failed to break the deadlock.

Cutting Affray at Homestead Polls.

During a quarrel over politics near the polls in the Second ward, Homestead, yesterday afternoon, Charles Thornton was stabbed several times on the right arm by an unknown man who afterward escaped. The stranger is said to have started the quarrel and when Thorton was not looking he stabbed him. Twelve stitches were required to close the wounds in Thornton's arm.

The Safe Deposit & Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, Pa., Fourth avenue and Wood st., is thoroughly qualified and equipped to serve as executor or trustee under will. It accepts appointment directly or jointly with attorneys or others.

A PROMISING INFIELDER.

HARRY MATZ.

Third baseman on the North Sides. He will probably join some independent team this year. He is fast and a coming player.

W. & J. SEVERES RELATIONS WITH STATE COLLEGE

All That's Late and Good in the College and School Athletic Circles.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The Washington and Jefferson faculty committee on athletics last night officially severed all athletic connections with the Pennsylvania State college in the following resolution:

"Owing to unjust treatment by the Pennsylvania State in arranging games and continued misrepresentation on their part in the public press, the managers of the various athletic teams of W. and J. college are instructed to discontinue all relations with Pennsylvania State college. By order of the faculty committee on athletics."

This step means that no games on gridiron, track or diamond will be arranged with the Center county team until full reparation for alleged shameful treatment is made.

Ed Davin, a former captain of the Pittsburgh college nine, is a student at Georgetown and will try for its team this spring. He is a second baseman. Dick Collins, who played third under Davin, is also at Georgetown.

Lafayette expects a successful track team this year. The following schedule has been arranged: April 19, interclass meet; April 29, U. of P. relay races; May 6, Navy, at Annapolis; May 13, Carlisle Indians, at Easton; May 27, Lehigh, at South Bethlehem; May 31, Rutgers, at New Brunswick.

Ernie Hjertberg, coach of the Columbia track team, says Robert Stangland, the broad jumper and former captain of the track team, would be unwise to give up athletics entirely. To stop athletics completely, after the eight years or more of training, would mean, he said, that Stangland's heart would become flabby. Enlargement of the heart always attends vigorous athletic training, he said.

Georgetown has decided to resume athletic relations with the University of Virginia, which were severed in 1901.

Kandugan, catcher on the Brown A. C. of Pittsburgh last summer, will be a candidate for the Westminster college team this spring.

The State varsity basketball team left yesterday on its eastern trip. Coach Golden and Capt. Dunn are accompanied by the following players: Yeckley, Heaton, Feltz, Mroczkeski, Burns, Quigley, Caswell, Williams and Lytle. The first game will be played in Philadelphia today against U. of P., and the remainder of the schedule is as follows: February 23, Swarthmore; February 24, F. and M.; February 25, Dickinson.

The boys who have been honored in being allowed to wear the Allegheny Prep. school monogram are: Stanley Lyon, Clarence Beller, Walter Fife, Charles Hagan, Ed. Murphy, Emery Murphy, Edwin Shelton, Herbert Tustin, Herbert Gilg, Frank Cellars, Francis Worcester and Murray Fahnestock. Albert Wallace and Herbert Gilg were given the honor of wearing the A. P. S. monogram on their caps because of their great enthusiasm and loyalty in all athletics.

WILL TAKE UP BOWLING.

Country Club Members Will Roll on New Alleys—Will Hold a Tourney.

Bowling is to be taken up in a vigorous way at the Country club, Beechwood boulevard. Two new alleys were recently added, making four in all. On Thursday night the playing strength of the club will be out in full force in a preliminary to a big tournament. The second preliminary will take place the following Thursday night. From these two preliminaries handicaps will be assigned. The committee in charge consists of Percy E. Donner, R. H. Erving and Charles S. Hubbard.

The interest in bowling has increased tremendously recently. One concern alone, it is stated, has placed 132 alleys during the year in Allegheny county. The cost of each alley is about $800, making a total of $105,600 expended in this way.

Clever Duck Pin Bowling.

The best game of duck pins played this year took place in the Brunswick alleys yesterday. The winners' exceptional averages were 495, 488 and 468 pins. Burke having high score of 134, and Hedges high average of 108. Forney for the losers had an average of 99. Scores:

Eurekas—			
Watson	94	78	91
Robinson	98	91	84
Kramer	80	91	97
Forney	103	99	95
Clemens	87	69	99
Totals	462	428	463
Christians—			
Loy	96	82	74
Gundlefinger	89	76	91
Hedges	115	116	93
Burke	94	134	87
Roeser	101	90	...
Walters	...	...	105
Totals	495	498	450

Lyceum Beat Manchester.

The Allegheny Lyceum defeated the Manchester team last night. Lineup:

Lyceum.		Manchester.
Stehle	Forward	Koch
Thompson	Forward	Yeager
Orr	Center	Tannehill
Cashdollar	Guard	Grahman
Geisler	Guard	Burry

Field goals—Stehle 3, Orr 4, Geisler 2, Cashdollar, O'Donnell, Koch 4, Tannehill, Grahman, Burry. Foul goals—Orr 6, Grahman 2. Referee—Hess.

Another Fatality of the Ring.

LANCASTER, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Warren Yinger, aged 20 years, died this afternoon from the effects of a blow received during a boxing match at Machnerchor hall last Friday evening. Yinger, who boxed under the name of "Young Warren," collapsed immediately after leaving the ring and never again regained consciousness. An autopsy this evening showed that a small blood vessel in the brain had been ruptured, causing a slow hemorrhage.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

Columbia Council will play the Crescents of Allegheny tonight at the Bordon hall.

Tonight C. A. C. of Braddock will play the Trenton A. C. at C. A. C. gym, Braddock.

Tonight the Bolger Midgets will go to Bridgeville and play the Midgets of that place.

The Aliens defi 7 or 8-year-old teams having halls. Address Paul Welsh, 1328 Hutson street, Allegheny.

The Levin second team would like to hear from any 8 or 9-year-old teams. Address Louis Lavine, 75 Magee street, city.

The Arion Midgets would like to hear from all midget teams having halls. Address I. Kinross, Jr., 1320 Hudson street, Allegheny.

The Hillsdale A. C. challenges all good 11 to 13-year-old teams having halls. Address C. B. Freund, 158 Eighteenth street, South Side, city.

Manager Roach of the East Liverpool team was in Pittsburgh yesterday for the purpose of arranging a game with South Side. The managers could not agree on terms.

The Railroad and Fowler teams will meet tonight in a Manchester league game at Raleigh hall. The Railroad Midgets and Manchester Midgets will play the preliminary.

POULTRY JUDGES DOWN TO WORK

Officials Had a Very Busy Day Selecting the Prize Winners of the Show.

LOCAL BIRDS FARE WELL

The judges at the eighth annual poultry, pigeon and pet stock exhibition of the Pittsburgh Fanciers' club at Old City hall began their work yesterday and expect to complete in by Friday night. The favorable weather had aided in the prompt placing of the exhibits, but the judges wanted to view the show privately before they started making awards. The crowds are greater than ever before in the history of the club shows, and are expected to break all records today, this being Washington's birthday and a holiday for many interested in pet stock. Patriotic colors are in evidence in the hall and a band might have been invited to give a concert, but the show committee did not, want to destroy the best characteristic of the exhibition, the barnyard sounds. The clucking of the hens, the crowing of the roosters and the cooing of the pigeons is considered one of the show's most unique features.

J. H. Drevenstedt, Theodore Hewes, George H. Burgott and W. C. Pierce are judging the matches in the poultry, turkeys and water fowl and William J. Stanton the quality of the pigeons. The other pets are being awarded prizes by general consent of the judges. The following awards were announced last night:

POULTRY.

White Plymouth Rocks—Cocks, first, Red Hill farm; second, Martin B. Ayers; third, G. B. Hatton; fourth and fifth, Hilderbrand and Pillow. Hens, first, Hilderbrand and Pillow; second, G. B Hatton; third, fourt hand fifth, Hilderbrand and Pillow. Cockerels, first, Hilderbrand and Pillow; second, Red Hill farm; third, Hilderbrand and Pillow; fourth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; fifth, W. Simpson. Pullets, first, Ernest W. Simpson; second, A. J. Emery; third, Martin B. Ayers; fourth, Howard A. Moser; fifth, Hilderbrand and Pillow.

Buff Plymouth Rocks—Cocks, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, Reed & McKinley; third, Elmer Park; fourth and fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm. Hens, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, F. C. Park; third, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; fourth, Reed & McKinley; fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm. Cockerels, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, Reed & McKinley; third, Julius Frank & Sons; fourth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; fifth, Idlewild Poultry farm. Pullets, first, Reed & McKinley; second and third, Julius Frank & Sons; fourth and fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm.

Light Brahmas—Cocks, first, C. G. Coleman; second, Goss & Ewing; third, M. Barraclough; fourth, Woodlawn Poultry Farm Company. Hens, Piers and second, Goss & Ewing; third, M. Barraclough; fourth, Woodlawn Poultry farm. Cockerels, first, second and third, C. P. Nettleton; fourth, C. G. Coleman. Pullets, First, second and third, C. P. Nettleton; fourth and fifth, Goss & Ewing.

Dark Brahmas—Cocks, first, Glenfrew farm; second, W. H. Mazon. Hens, First, second, third and fourth, W. H. Mazon; fifth, Glenfrew farm. Cockerels, first, W. H. Mazon. Pullets, First, second and third, W. H. Mazon.

Black Langshans—Cocks, first, Woodlawn Poultry Farm Company. Hens, first and second, Woodlawn Poultry Farm Company.

White Wyandottes—Cocks, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, third and fourth, W. R. Curtiss & Co.; fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm. Hens, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, Freedom poultry yards; third, C. B. Gano; fourth, William F. Auerswald; fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm. Cockerels, first, Ferguson & McMurray; second, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; third, C. J. Kilhmer; fourth, W. Scott Brown; fifth, W. R. Curtiss & Co. Pullets, first, the K. G. poultry yards; second, J. E. Weaver; third, fourth and fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Cocks, first, William J. Fox. Hens, first and second, William J. Fox; third and fourth, John J. Lawrence, Jr. Cockerels, first, William J. Fox; second, Woodlawn Poultry farm. Pullets, first, William J. Fox; second, Woodlawn Poultry farm; third, William J. Fox.

Silver Pencilled Wyandottes, Cocks, first, James Haslet. Hens, first, T. E. Orr; second, James Haslet; third, James Haslet.

Cockerels—First, T. E. Orr; second, third and fourth, James Haslet. Pullets, first, second and third, James Haslet.

Black Wyandottes—Cock, first, T. E. Orr; second, F. C. Sites. Hen, first, T. E. Orr; second, F. C. Sites. Cockerels, first, T. E. Orr; second, F. C. Sites. Pullets, first, F. C. Sites; second, T. E. Orr.

Black Breasted Red Exhibition Game—Cock, first, G. Wash Moore; second, J. M. Skiles; third, G. Wash Moore; fourth, C. F. Bruce; fifth Sullivan & Link. Hens, first and second, G. Wash Moore; third and fourth, James Skiles; fifth, Glenfrew farm. Cockerels, first, Glenfrew farm; second, third and fourth, G. Wash Moore. Pullets, first, second and third, G. Wash Moore.

Black Red Game—Cock, first and second, J. Koppitz; third, Jacob Zehfuss; fourth, S. H. Summer. Hens, first and second, J. Koppitz; third, Jacob Zehfuss; fourth S. H. Summer. Cockerels, first, J. Koppitz; second, F. W. Holzen. Pullets, first, J. Koppitz; second, F. W. Holzen.

Black Breasted Red Exhibition Game Bantams—Cock, first, Ernest W. Simpson. Hen, first, Ernest W. Simpson. Cockerel, first, John Watkins. Pullet, first, John Watkin.

Red Pyle Bantams—Cock, first, Sullivan & Link. Hen, first, Sullivan & Link. Cockerel, first, F. C. Sikes. Pullets, first, F. C. Sikes.

Birchen Game Bantams—Cockerel, F. C. Sites. Pullet, first, F. C. Sites.

White Game Bantams—Cock, first, Ernest W. Simpson. Hen, first, Ernest W. Simpson. Cockerel, first, Ernest W. Simpson. Pullet, first, Ernest W. Simpson.

Buff Wyandottes—Cock, first, Richard Munden. Hen first and second, B. J. Hewitt; third, T. E. Orr; fourth and fifth, Richard Munden. Cockerel, first, Preston & Hammerstrom; second, George C. Kimbark; third, Charles F. Kleinstirn; fourth, Richard Munden. Pullets, first, George C. Kimbark; second, Preston & Mammerstrom; third, George C. Kimbark; fourth and fifth, Richard Munden.

Golden Wyandottes—Cock, first, Harry Myers; second and third, J. B. Foster. Hen, first, J. B. Foster; second and third, William J. Fox; fourth, J. B. Foster. Cockerel, first, J. B. Foster; second, J. B. Foster; third and fourth, William J. Fox; fifth, J. B. Foster. Pullet, first, William J. Fox; second, J. B. Foster; third, William J. Fox; fourth, J. B. Foster; fifth, Harry Myers.

Single Comb White Leghorns—Cock, first, W. R. Curtiss & Co.; second, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; third, Charles J. Samuelson; fourth and fifth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm. Hens, first, Theodore Winschel; second, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; third, Theodore Winschel; fourth, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; fifth, J. E. Graham. Cockerels, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, G. L. Simpson; third, C. F. Lorish; fourth, Theodore Winschel; fifth, J. C. Loughrey. Pullets, first, Orchard Hill Poultry farm; second, Charles J. Samuelson; third, J. E. Graham; fourth and fifth, Theodore Winschel.

Silver Spangled Hamburgs—Cocks, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons. Hens, Julius Frank & Sons; third and fifth, G. L. Simpson. Cockerels, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons; third and fourth, G. L. Simpson. Pullets, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons; third, fourth and fifth, G. L. Simpson.

Golden Spangled Hamburgs—Cock, first, Julius Frank & Sons. Hen, first, Julius Frank & Sons.

Black Hamburgs—Cock, first, Julius Frank & Sons. Hen, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons. Cockerel, first, James McKirdy; second, Julius Frank & Sons. Pullet, first, James McKirdy; second, Julius Frank & Sons; third, James McKirdy; fourth, Julius Frank & Sons.

Silver Pencilled Hamburgs—Cock, first, Julius Frank & Sons. Hen, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons; third and fourth, John Robertson. Cockerels, first, John Robertson; second and third, Julius Frank & Sons. Pullets, first and second, Julius Frank & Sons; third, John Robertson.

AMATEUR CUE CONTESTS DISPLAY THEIR SKILL

Sample Defeated Benne and Brown Won from Jack After a Close Game.

Sample defeated Benne in last night's contest in the amateur billiard tournament. Benne said he usually lost the first game in which he participated. He was not a particle surprised when he went down to defeat at the hands of Sample, one of the veterans of the game. The contest was a tedious and long-drawn-out affair, neither of the players putting up anything near the game of which he was capable.

This is Sample's first appearance in these tournaments and at the odds offered him, 200 to 175, he was touted as a sure winner. Benne, however, has great native powers, and it is well known among the players that he has a habit of running 40 or 50 when he gets the balls going properly.

In the afternoon Brown and Jack were the contestants, the latter conceding the former 25 points in 200. At one time in the game Brown was away in the lead, but Jack overtook him and at time the two were playing on practically even terms. Brown finally won out, 175 to 184. The players this afternoon will be Anderson and Jack, and in the evening Clark will make his first appearance, being pitted against Brooks. The following are the scores by innings of both games:

Afternoon game—Brown, 0, 0, 0, 5, 5, 0, 0, 2, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 23, 0, 0, 16, 2, 5, 0, 3, 0, 6, 3, 1, 0, 2, 11, 1, 0, 3, 10, 4, 20, 12, 0, 4, 0, 1, 6, 3, 1, 0, 1, 8, 0, 14, 0, 2, 4, 5, 0, 1, 0, 1, 26, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 1, 14, 2, 1, 1, 5, 8, 4, 29, 1, 8, 12, 2, 8, 0, 0, 2, 2, 0, 0, 4, 1. Total, 175; average, 3 28-49.

Jack—1, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1, 8, 0, 11, 0, 2, 4, 5, 0, 1, 0, 1, 20, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 0, 1, 14, 2, 1, 1, 3, 4, 2, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 2, 2, 0, 2, 2, 2. Total, 151; average, 3 37-48.

Evening game—Benne, 500, 2, 0, 1, 0, 7, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 10, 27, 1, 0, 0, 5, 7, 1, 0, 9, 0, 0, 1, 6, 6, 2, 2, 4, 3, 4, 2, 0, 4, 10, 0, 1, 0, 3, 0, 0, 0, 2, 9, 3, 20, 1, 0, 4, 0, 5, 6, 0, 7, 23, 3, 0, 8, 2, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0, 5, 22, 0, 0, 0, 0. Total, 264; average, 3 54-70.

Sample—2, 3, 1, 2, 1, 8, 2, 0, 0, 1, 4, 0, 5, 2, 2, 4, 1, 1, 3, 2, 0, 7, 2, 1, 3, 0, 1, 5, 0, 7, 3, 3, 7, 10, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 2, 6, 0, 0, 2, 1, 2, 3, 2, 1, 0, 5, 0, 6, 0, 5, 3, 2, 0, 2, 1, 0, 3, 4, 0, 2, 5, 2, 0, 4. Total, 175; average, 2 55-70.

Referee—Michael Horne.

The Dimlings Can Bowl Some.

The Dimling Favorites won all three games from the Elliotts with much ease. Schiller was high score with 188 and Hernon high average with 165. The Dimlings would like to hear from some good teams for games. 'Phone P. & A. 1594 Main. Score:

Dimling Favorites—

Bartels	129	152	176
Schiller	145	125	188
Peokaintle	118	135	163
Wright	157	165	109
Hernon	165	157	173
Totals	714	754	809
Elliotts—			
Dingle	149	158	146
Ingshom	179	149	...
Yilsman	129	...	155
Gough	133	155	112
Goller	124	159	113
Gwyer	...	118	131
Totals	705	704	661

Young Americans Beat Homestead.

The Young Americans of Homestead defeated the Homestead team last night at Homestead, 30 to 26. At the end of the first half the score stood 9 to 9. Line-up:

Young Americans.		Homestead.
Adams	Forward	C. Getzinger
Ralston	Forward	Luppold
Lloyd	Center	Steele
Munroe	Guard	Parker
Murray	Guard	Jones

Substitutes—Brown for Lloyd, Crawford for Munroe, J. Gertzinger for Parker, Hamilton for Luppold. Field goals—Adams 7, Lloyd 2, Ralston, Brown 2, Crawford, C. Getzinger, Luppold 4, Hamilton 2, Steele 4, Jones. Foul goals—Adams 4, Luppold Hamilton.

In a preliminary game the Homestead Press won from the Sewickley Reserves, 67 to 19. Field goals—Zacariah 9, Ross 7, Tunstall 7, Jeffries 3, E. Getzinger, Gray 5, Carroll 3, McMasters. Foul goals—Zacariah 3, Carroll. Referee—Macbeth. Time—20-minute halves.

WEST VIRGINIA TO TAKE FIRST SOUTHERN TRIP

Will Probably Refuse Game With W. U. P. Because of Alleged Professionalism—Dates Are Given.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]
MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Feb. 21.—Manager Earl Morgan of the West Virginia university baseball team today submitted his schedule to the faculty committee on athletics, and the probabilities are that it will be approved with the possible exception of the W. U. P. games. These may be canceled owing to the fact that professionalism is alleged to exist at the Pittsburgh institution. The schedule includes a southern, western and eastern trip, the southern trip being the first that W. V. U. has ever undertaken. The usual games with Yale and the United States naval academy have been omitted from the list, athletic relations have not been resumed with W. and J., the Carlisle Indians have canceled two games that were to be played here commencement week, but the Princeton game will be played as usual.

The schedule is as follows: Hoodberry Forest school at Orange, Va., March 24; University of Virginia at Charlottsville, Va., March 25 and 27; Washington and Lee at Lexington, Va., March 28; Virginia Polytechnic institute at Blacksburg, Va., March 29; Roanoke college at Salem, Va., March 30; Roanoke college at Roanoke, Va., March 31; Virginia Military Institute at Lexington, Va., April 1; W. U. P. at Morgantown, April 14 and 15; Wesleyan University of West Virginia at Morgantown, April 21 and 22; Bethany college at Morgantown, April 26 and 27; Waynesburg college at Waynesburg, April 28; Westminster at Morgantown, May 2 and 3; California Normal school at Morgantown, May 6; Wooster university at Wooster, O., May 8; Dennison university at Granville, O., May 9; Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, O., May 10; Otterbein university at Westerville, O., May 11; Ohio State university at Columbus, May 12; Wittenberg college at Springfield, May 13; Pennsylvania State university at Morgantown, May 20; Allegheny college at Morgantown, May 26 and 27; Ohio Wesleyan university at Morgantown, May 29 and 30, a double-header on the latter date; California Normal school at California, June 3; Pittsburgh college at Morgantown, June 6; Geneva college at Beaver Falls, June 12; Western Maryland college at Westminster; Princeton at Princeton, June 14.

The first practice of the season was held in the gymnasium this afternoon, when the following candidates reported: Pitchers, Kell, Hurley, Dyer, Hall, Brake, Murr, Bruce and Huntsinger; first base, Hostetler; second base, Purinton and Mason; third base, Byers and Seay; shortstop, Strickler; outfield, Capt. Cole, Wayman, Backman, Martin, Watson and Thompson.

Capt. Groninger of last year's team will probably be with W. and J. this year, while "Lefty" Coe will be ineligible owing to the new eligibility rules.

LOCAL DOGS ENTERED.

Pittsburghers Are Seeking Prizes in Boston's Dog Show.

BOSTON, MASS., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Among the 1,141 entries at the twenty-first annual show of the New England Kennel club, opened here today, are the following from Pennsylvania: P. B. Boyland of Pittsburgh, Irish terrier, Red Lion, in the limit class for derby breeder; W. T. Lee of Pittsburgh, Gladstone Cypress. Hempfield beauties, Greensburg. Hempfield Hilda, in the open classes for beagle bitches; also in the novice and limit classes for bitches. In the awards this evening this entry won second prize in the novice class. F. A. McFaddin, Beaver Falls, King, in the open class for dogs and bitches, Indianalians, also in the limit class for both sexes.

There is also a big list of New York show winners, including many from Philadelphia, Toledo, Ohio and New Jersey. Thomas W. Lawson has his usual big entry list, and both Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt are exhibitors.

Shoot on the New Range.

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The newly organized Washington Rifle club held a shoot today on its new 75-foot range. The shoot consisted of a score of 50 shots each off-hand on the one-fourth inch ring target, making the following scores in strings of 10 shots each, with a possible amount of 250 for each string. Scores:

William Wylie	237	236	238	241	236—1188
J. B. McClain	233	235	239	239	240—1186
M. P. Roach	238	233	238	234	236—1179
A. Pring	238	233	237	237	232—1177
George Fisher	239	235	235	235	232—1174
J. V. Dunbar	241	236	...	...	...—477

WHAT THE INDEPENDENT PLAYERS ARE DOING

Dan Lindsay will manage the Charleroi team this year. He wants Kirk, a young third baseman of the Beltshoover club.

Lee Llywellen, the former West Virginia baseball captain, now located in Pittsburgh, is wanted by the Piedmont team.

Williamsport has made Hans Lobert an offer. Billy Hallman writes the Williamsport people that he has not jumped that club.

Rumor has it that Charlie Carpenter is to become business manager and "Germany" Smith pitching manager of the Altoona team.

Billy Phyle has signed to play third for Youngstown. Had he not signed with Ohio Works again he would have managed a team.

Altoona will fight Harrisburg for Pitcher Ira Plank, who was signed by Altoona last spring, after which he jumped to the New England league.

THE TRACK TOO HEAVY FOR THE FAVORITES

Only One Public Choice Finished First. Second Choices Fared Very Well.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—In spite of threatening weather and heavy track, the Crescent City Jockey club's card showed considerable class today. Rathland, who cantered home in the last race, was the only winning favorite, though Right Royal and Sons and Wins, both well supported second choices, carried almost as much money as the favorites in their respective races. Summaries:

First race, 1 mile—Conundrum, 104, J. Howell, 20 to 1, won; Gladiator, 97, Crimmins, 7 to 2, second; Amonne, 107, McCafferty, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:51 2-5.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Chambles, 112, H. Phillips, 10 to 1, won; Ogonta, 104, Schilling, 15 to 1, second; Safeguard, 109, Reinheimer, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:21.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Flying Charcoal, 106, J. Heanessy, 12 to 1, won; Belle of Portland, 104, Crimmins, 10 to 1, second; Dusky, 104, J. McIntyre, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:20.

Fourth race, handicap, 6 furlongs—Right Royal, 97, J. McIntyre, 2 to 1, won; Jake Sanders, 109, H. Phillips, 9 to 5, second; Dapple Gold, 101, W. Robbins, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:10.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Sons and Wins, 101, W. Robbins, 10 to 5, won; Charlie Dwyer, 96, Schilling, 16 to 1, second; Matador, 106, J. McIntyre, 16 to 5, third. Time, 1:12.

Sixth race, 5½ furlongs—Rathland, 107, H. Phillips, 6 to 5, won; Barkelonia, 100, T. Lowe, 12 to 1, second; Merry Acrobat, 106, Schilling, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:12.

ONE GOOD RACE.

Four Horses Were Equal Favorites and Invictus Won.

LOS ANGELES, CAL., Feb. 21.—The fourth race at Ascot today, over the Brooks course, was the best on the card. Four horses went to the post equal favorites—namely, Invictus, Freesias, Helgereon and Pusillus. Invictus proved the best and won from Bugle Horn, with Freesias third. Summaries:

First race, steeplechase, short course, handicap—Decimo, 168, Fuller, 3 to 1, won; Pisa, 156, Sullivan, 15 to 1, second; Allegiance, 147, Lawton, 9 to 5, third. Time, 4:05.

Second race, 3½ furlongs, purse—Sunfire, 114, Dugan, 2 to 1, won; Search Me, 115, J. Bocker, 4 to 1, second; Celo, 114, Fuller, 100 to 1, third. Time, :42.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—E. M. Brayton, 109, Fuller, 4 to 5, won; Berghead, 106, Miller, even, second; Lustig, 108, Dugan, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:07.

Fourth race, Brooks course—Invictus, 97, J. Kelly, 4 to 1, won; Bugle Horn, 106, J. McBride, 7 to 1, second; Freesias, 100, McDaniel, 4 to 1, third. Time, 2:04½.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Outillon, 90, McDaniel, 1 to 2, won; Kings Thorpe, 100, Herbert, 5 to 1, second; Maggie Markey, 95, Moriarty, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:28½.

Sixth race, mile—Bailey, 88, Moriarty, 7 to 2, won; Dixella, 91, Dorsey, 10 to 1, second; Belle Dixon, 91, Miller, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:43¾.

POLO TO BE SET GOING IN ALLEGHENY TONIGHT

A polo team is being formed in Allegheny and admission into the league, of which Youngstown and Warren are members, will be asked. The season opens tonight at Cyclorama hall, Allegheny.

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SOCIETY

ONE OF the prettiest, most interesting and most important social affairs of the late season will be the annual closing cotillion of the dance pupils of Mrs. E. Slack Davis, which this year will be given for the benefit of the Children's hospital. The affair will take place in the ball room of the Hotel Schenley on Saturday evening, March 25. Saturday has been chosen so that the fathers as well as the mothers of the young dancers may attend. The children are all very much interested in the cotillion, and, as they put it, "are working hard for the poor little hospital girls and boys." Tickets will be put on sale very soon at several places, both in the East End and downtown. The entertainment will be opened with the grand march at 7:30 o'clock and will be followed by several new dances which Mrs. Davis brought with her from abroad in the early fall.

One of these is the tambourine dance to be given by 16 of the smaller girls, including Miss Martha Anderson, Miss Gail Morrison, Miss Dorothy Anderson, Miss Sarah Foster, Miss Jane Jutte, Miss Katherine Foster, Miss Jeannette Anderson, Miss Helen Metcalf, Miss Jean Darsie, Miss Louise Morrison, Miss Helen Morrison, Miss Helen Nicholson, Miss Marion Sterrett, Miss Elizabeth Tone, Miss Francis Talmadge and Miss Sarah Torrens. The girls are to be dressed in white with sashes and hair ribbons of red, in which colors their tambourines will be trimmed. The flower dance is a particularly beautiful one. It will be presented by Miss Elizabeth Darsie, Miss Elizabeth Herron, Miss Jane Jutte, Miss Edith Kelly, Miss Catherine Law, Miss Joselyn Leach, Miss Christine Metcalf, Miss Alix Metcalf, Miss Elizabeth Reineman, Miss Emma Robertson, Miss Mary Watson, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Carolyn Hetzel, Miss Edwina Morse, Miss Julianne Moring and Miss Louise Morrison.

One of the funniest dances will be that given by the boys in clowns' costumes. There are many grotesque steps in this feature, which has until now been unknown to the dancers of this generation but which was used on many occasions in former years.

Others who will take part in the cotillion are Miss Helen Balph, Charles Balph, Allen Bakewell, Benjamin Bakewell, William Darsie, Jaul Dickey, Robert Garland, Henry Garland, George Hoevler, Edwin Jackman, William Jutte, Miss Portia Keefer, Miss Sarah Kuhn, Miss Virginia Lee, Thomas Morrison, Robert McKinney, Charles Rhodes, Glen Sipe, Samuel Sipe, Norman Shidle, Earl White, Maurice Wolf, Philip Chess, Thomas Myler, Miss Dorothy Wolf, Clinton Wentworth, Brandon Smith, Craig Fitzsimmons, Archer Martin, Henry J. Bailey, Heath Speer, Willam Bray and Floyd Clarkson.

Kaufmann-Mundheim.

In the ball room of the Schenley Miss Stella Kaufmann, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Kaufmann's daughter, and Samuel Mundheim of New York were married last evening. The bride had as her attendants, a maid of honor, Miss Birdie Klein, and bridesmaids, Miss Bessie Frank, Miss Lillian Kaufmann, Miss Irene Kaufmann, Miss Edith Myers of Quincy, Ill., and Miss Erma Kingsbacher, while a younger sister, Miss Martha Kaufmann, served as flower girl. Clarence Reizenstein of Washington, D. C., was best man, and the ushers included Louis Hirsch, also of Washington, Mr. Rinaldo and John Grossgebauer of New York city, Alfred Kaufmann and Raymond Kaufmann of this city. The Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy performed the ceremony at 7:30 o'clock. The bride's gown was made entirely of real lace, with a full court train. Her tulle veil was fastened with orange blossoms and she carried a white leather-bound Bible, marked with a spray of lilies of the valley and white orchids. Miss Klein appeared in white chiffon and carried white lilacs. The bridesmaids, each carrying American Beauty roses, were gowned alike in blue chiffon cloth and in their hair were garlands of blue leaves. A dainty frock of English embroidery was worn by the little flower girl who carried a horn of plenty filled with white roses. Mrs. Kaufmann's gown was of fawn-colored brocaded satin of the Louis XIV. period. The ball room presented an unusually beautiful appearance, the light being particularly soft, as all the side brackets were shaded in pink. Huge pink globes hung from the ceiling amid graceful festoons of smilax. Large white bells, enclosing lights, were suspended from the ceiling over the aisle up which the bridal party marched to the altar. The aisle was marked by tall, satin-covered standards of palms, tied with broad blue ribbons. On each of the two gate posts flanking the altar was a seven-branched candlestick, while nearer the background of palms were two tall standards of white lilies. These flowers, with white azaleas and ferns, filled the stage, and smilax covered the walls. Palms in the foyer formed a background for the reception following the ceremony, for which there was special music. A chorus of voices gave the Lohengrin march as the bridal party entered and an orchestra played softly during a part of the ceremony. Supper was served in the large dining room adjoining the ball room. On the small tables were clusters of mixed flowers and on the bridal table was a large heart-shaped wedding cake, surrounded by a wreath of white lilacs and bride maline. The lights were covered with floral shades and the central chandelier was showered with tulle and white lilacs. After their wedding trip the bridal couple will be at home in New York.

Costume Ball Was Elaborate.

An elaborate affair was the costume ball held in the Edgeworth clubhouse last evening for the benefit of the proposed new hospital. The costumes were original. The committees were: Refreshments—Mrs. Frank G. Paulson, Mrs. W. A. Luce, Mrs. L. C. Macon, Mrs. G. H. Clapp, Miss Isabel Baldwin and Miss Carol Cochran. Decorations—Mrs. E. D. Gilmore, Mrs. W. J. Tever, Mrs. James Todd, Mrs. S. C. Scott, Mrs. Dewitt B. Nettleton. Music—J. C. Macon, Charles E. Irwin and Daniel E. Crane. Dancing—Mrs. L. B. Whitney, Mrs. Edward Allen and Mrs. Daniel Crane. The patronesses were Mrs. James E. Brown, Mrs. G. H. Clapp, Mrs. W. M. Grafton, Mrs. A. B. Harlow, Mrs. Henry Irwin, Jr., Mrs. Alexander Laughlin, Mrs. George E. McCague, Mrs. D. S. Nettleton, Mrs. Theodore Nevin, Mrs. Alexander C. Robinson, Mrs. George P. Ross, Mrs. John C. Slack, Mrs. W. F. Snyder, Mrs. J. E. Umstatter, Mrs. Robert Wardrop, Mrs. L. H. Williams, Mrs. E. A. Woods and Mrs. R. R. Quay.

Inspected New Hospital.

Members of the board of managers of the new and as yet unfinished Columbia hospital in Wilkinsburg gave a dinner last evening in the Home for the Aged, which adjoins the hospital. The guests were members of the advisory board, members of the medical and surgical staffs of the hospital and several prominent business men and legislators who came home to vote. Preceding the dinner the guests made a tour of inspection of the hospital, which is now ready for the roof and which the managers hope to have ready for occupancy the latter part of the coming summer. Mrs. George H. Sands is president of the board of managers. Mrs. H. C. Campbell, president of the United Presbyterian Woman's association, which controls both the hospital and the home, was toastmistress. Among the guests were W. H. Jamison, J. W. McGinness, J. L. Beatty, H. C. Bair, A. H. Imbrie, S. B. Donaldson, Dr. Samuel Collins, Senator Goehring and Representative Woodward of McKeesport, all of whom made after-dinner speeches.

Will Give Children's Party.

Mrs. T. W. D. Hieber will entertain this afternoon with a children's party in honor of her little daughter, Miss Ethel Louise Hieber. The affair will take the form of a Washington's birthday party and the guests will include 60 girls, friends of the young honor guest. A cinematograph exhibition, a magician and the usual games will be features of the afternoon.

Wedding Rehearsals Last Evening.

The rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Claudia Hax and Dr. Otto C. Gaub took place last evening in the Shadyside Presbyterian church and was followed by a dinner which Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hax, parents of the bride-elect, gave at the Hotel Schenley.

Covers were laid for 20 at the dinner given last evening for the members of the Schwerd-Myers bridal party. The dinner followed the rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Schwerd and J. Howard Myers.

Zevely-Grant Nuptials.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Feb. 21.—Miss Edith Grant, daughter of Hon. E. M. Grant, and Mr. Harry Zevely were married this evening in Trinity Episcopal church by the rector, the Rev. John T. Marley. The bridesmaids were: Miss Blanche Wood, Miss Jessie Fitch and Miss Jessie Moorehead of this city; Mrs. Frances Waugh of Wellsburg, Miss Elizabeth Stalnaker of Martinsburg, and Miss Ada Langdit of Parkersburg. S. M. Whitside of Wheeling, the groom's brother-in-law, was best man. J. H. Steinberger of Connellsville, J. O. Hertzler of Easton, Pa.; Clyde Carney of Crafton, John Summerville of Manington, Samuel Chadwick and T. J. Arthur of this city were the ushers. The ceremony was performed at 6:30 o'clock and was followed by a reception.

Change in Homeopathic Benefit.

As March 8, the date selected for the Homeopathic hospital benefit matinee, is Ash Wednesday, the members of the board of managers have asked that the date of the benefit be changed to Tuesday, March 7. Madam Schumann-Heinke, in "Love's Lottery," is to be the attraction, and the matinee, if given on Tuesday, will be a special one for the hospital. Mrs. William Thaw is president of the board.

Physicians Will Be Hosts.

Invitations have been issued for the annual banquet of Delta chapter of the Nu Sigma Nu fraternity, Western Pennsylvania Medical college, which will take place at the Hotel Henry on the evening of Friday, March 3. Dr. James Tyson of Philadelphia will be the special guest of honor. Dr. C. W. Utts is president of the Delta chapter; Dr. R. T. Hinchman, secretary, and Dr. A. H. Jahn, treasurer.

Pittsburgh Commandery Event.

With a larger attendance than on either of the preceding occasions, the last in the series of three dances given under the auspices of Pittsburgh commandery No. 1, Knights Templar, took place last evening in Syria Temple. Sixty tables were used for euchre and for the supper covers were laid for 125.

Dr. and Mrs. Turnbull Entertains.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Turnbull, Jr., of Western avenue, Allegheny, entertained with an informal little dinner last evening to meet Miss Amy Williams of Casanova, W. Va., who is now their house guest. Covers were laid for 14. Miss Williams expects to leave for her home Wednesday next.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. James Wood Friend of Ellsworth avenue, Shadyside, and her daughters, Miss Elizabeth McClellan Friend and Miss Rebekah Jane Friend, will leave the city next week for an indefinite stay in California.

Mrs. Edward Blaine Scull of Castleman street, Shadyside, entertained informally at bridge yesterday afternoon.

A euchre was held in the Keystone Bicycle club last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Caruthers gave a small euchre and dance last evening at their home in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, to celebrate the fifth anniversary of their wedding.

The Woman's Aid society, assisted by the Willing Workers of the Fifth United Presbyterian church, Irwin avenue, Allegheny, will hold a reception and bazar tomorrow evening in the church.

The bazar of the Corpus Christi Roman Catholic church will open this evening in the church lyceum hall, Lincoln avenue and Agnew street.

Nearly 60 guests attended a euchre given last evening by Mr. W. C. Winterhalter at her home in Ingram.

Mrs. James W. Barber entertained with a fancy work party at her home in Sewickley yesterday afternoon. The guests were 15 members of a Sunday school class formerly taught by Mrs. Barber.

Owing to the death of John McElwain, invitations were recalled for the fancy work party which Miss Kerr's 48th birthday on March 2 has been fixed as the date for "Ye Old Folks Concert" to be given in the United Presbyterian church of Sewickley by the young people of the church. Costumes of 100 years ago will be worn by the singers.

AMONG THE CLUBS

THERE was a full attendance at the Pittsburgh Woman's club meeting yesterday afternoon and the program, though not as scheduled, was extremely interesting. Mrs. James S. McKelvy, the vice president, presided in the absence of Mrs. Albert Blumberg. Mrs. Dallas Albert acted as leader. "Home Making As an Art" was the subject of a paper by Mrs. Edgar C. Gerwig. She said the home maker must be an excellent housekeeper, a financier and a diplomat. She emphasized the fact that a habit of cheery good humor, unselfishness and helpfulness makes the poorest home rich, as it makes the plainest face radiant and beautiful. "Pennsylvania Laws for Women" was the subject of a paper read by Mrs. McKelvy and the speaker brought as her guest Mrs. Ludwig Koethen of the Civic club of Wilkinsburg, who answered questions on Pennsylvania laws. A discussion of current topics was led by Mrs. Jane A. Hall. At the next meeting Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr., will be leader, and she has invited Mr. Porter of the Westinghouse company to speak upon the business and professional inducements which lead girls to choose offices instead of the kitchen as their sphere.

Longfellow Day Observed.

The Colonial club yesterday set aside the scheduled program and gave instead a charming "Longfellow day" program. Mrs. Edwin Sullivan presided and Mrs. E. A. Locke was leader of the literary program. The latter gave a biographical sketch of Longfellow and her remarks were interspersed with readings of short poems by different members of the club. Among the poems were "The Day is Done," "The Psalm of Life" and "Angels of Night." The other numbers on the program consisted of synopsis and interpretative sketches of some of the longer poems, with selections from each. Mrs. A. E. Thorne spoke on "Hiawatha;" Mrs. Moore on "Miles Standish;" Mrs. Sullivan on "Resignation," and Mrs. F. E. Cannon on "Tales from a Wayside Inn."

Italian Artists Discussed.

The Woman's club of Oakmont opened the afternoon program yesterday with Mrs. J. M. Hamilton as literary chairman. Mrs. Charles T. Dabney read a paper on "Correggio" and Mrs. Ernest R. Levi spoke on "Bramente." An interesting paper on Arioste was read by Mrs. J. R. Johnston and Mrs. Willock closed the program with a sketch on "Fra Bartolomeo." The program committee appointed to outline the program for next year reported that Holland had been chosen for the subject for discussion. This committee includes Mrs. T. P. Henderson, Mrs. R. M. Davis, Miss E. S. Wade, Mrs. A. Thomas and Mrs. S. B. Clement.

Russian Pianist Will Play.

Constantine Von Sternberg, a Russian pianist, will give a recital before the members of the Tuesday Musical club on Saturday evening at 8:15 in the Hotel Schenley. The public is invited and tickets may be purchased either at the Schenley or at the Twentieth Century club. The regular Tuesday Musical club recital was postponed yesterday, as the society could not get the concert room for the afternoon.

GAME COMMISSION TOOK BACK SERIOUS CHARGES

Find That Carnegie Institute Officials Had Not Been Wantonly Slaughtering Pennsylvania Birds.

Dr. W. J. Holland has just returned from Philadelphia, where he has been for the past week, supervising the packing up of the Jefferis collection of minerals preparatory to shipment to the Carnegie museum.

On Thursday last he attended a meeting of the game commission of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg, at which action was taken in reference to the report submitted to that body on July 7, 1904, by Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, the secretary. Dr. Kalbfus charged the Carnegie institute with having killed birds in excessive numbers beyond the requirements of science, and with having habitually and studiously violated the game laws of Pennsylvania. He went so far as to insinuate that Dr. Holland and his assistants had killed 40,000 birds in Pennsylvania, and this report was widely circulated and reproduced in all the newspapers of the country. A hearing was held on December 15, 1904, in Pittsburgh, at which hearing Dr. Kalbfus failed to substantiate his charges.

The trustees of the institute on February 3 adopted resolutions demanding of the game commission the retraction of the charges brought by Dr. Kalbfus. This was done by the game commission last Thursday, when it adopted a resolution declaring that as the result of an investigation it had ascertained that the authorities of the Carnegie museum "had not wilfully at any time violated the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania made for the protection of birds, and that they had not taken and do not now possess collections of birds in excess of scientific requirements."

Victim of an Automobile Accident.

MASSILLON, O., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—Details of the accident which resulted in the death of Christian Shearer, formerly of this city, have been received from Pasadena, Cal. Shearer was run down by an automobile driven by Mrs. T. E. Jefferson, of Spokane, Wash. She was accompanied by Count E. C. Castigiole of Paris, owner of the machine, and Frank Hutchison of Sewickley, Pa. The machine, which was running at a high rate of speed was on the wrong side of the street and struck Shearer just as he alighted from a street car.

MATRON OF DAY NURSERY GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Placed Mute Child in Bath of Hot Mustard Water and Held It There Until It Was Fatally Scalded.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ELIZABETH, N. J., Feb. 21.—Mrs. Mary A. Hart, matron of the Elizabeth Day nursery, was today found guilty of manslaughter in causing the death of Elsie May Ernst, 4 years old. Accompanying the verdict was a recommendation for mercy.

Prosecutor English, for the state, claimed that Mrs. Hart had placed the child, which was a mute, in a bath of hot mustard water and held her there until she was so badly scalded that death ensued. The head of the house committee of the nursery testified that Mrs. Hart struck the child while in the bath.

Day of Prayer for Missions.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Allegheny and Pittsburgh presbyteries of the Presbyterian church, has designated tomorrow as a day of prayer for churches and societies supporting that body. Special exercises will be held during the day in nearly all churches maintaining branch societies.

To Sell Its Old Factory Site.

The stockholders of the Carborundum Company at a special meeting yesterday, authorized the sale of the company's old property at Monongahela City.

The Morning After

a heavy and rich meal will be unattended by discomfort or sickness if, before going to bed, you will take

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

Mrs. D. C. Wedding, Hartford, Ky., was cured of female trouble by the remedy that has proved a blessing to women,

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills For Pale People.

She says: "When I reached the turn of life I had ohills and fever. My whole system was out of order and I was dizzy and nervous. Physicians' treatment did me no good but I was cured and gained fifteen pounds by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People."

From early girlhood to late in life, disorders incident to the development and maturity of womankind can be relieved and cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Are not health and happiness worth trying for?

Your Druggist Sells the Pills.

LIEBIG

For health's sake insist on having the real

LIEBIG Company's Extract of Beef

the oldest, the most concentrated, the reliable. Substitutes pay the dealer more profit, but are a poor investment for you.

The blue signature on the label shows the genuine.

For Forty Years the First

COMPANY'S

You Must Sleep.

If you cannot, it is due to an irritated or congested state of the brain, which will soon develope into nervous prostration.

Nature demands sleep, and it is as important as food; it is a part of her building and sustaining process. This period of unconsciousness relaxes the mental and physical strain, and allows nature to restore exhausted vitality.

Dr. Miles' Nervine brings refreshing sleep, because it soothes the irritation and removes the congestion.

It is also a nerve builder; it nourishes and strengthens every nerve in your body, and creates energy in all the organs.

Nothing will give strength and vitality as surely and quickly as Dr. Miles' Nervine.

"During the past winter I had two attacks of LaGrippe which left me very weak, and in bad condition. I was so nervous I could not sleep. My wife, after trying different remedies, went for a doctor. The doctor was out, and a neighbor recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine, and she brought home a bottle. I had not slept for some time, and had terrible pains in my head. After taking a few doses of Nervine the pain was not so severe, and I slept. I am now taking the second bottle, and am very much improved."
HENRY M. SMITH, Underhill, Vt.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

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CUT & ROCK CRYSTAL
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To Cure All Skin Diseases Use
Dr. T. Felix Gouraud's Oriental Cream, or Magical Beautifier.
It Purifies and Beautifies the Skin.
FOR SALE AT DRUGGISTS.

$500.00 in Cash Free Help and Situations

If You Secure a Situation or Help Through an Advertisement in the Want Columns of The Gazette You'll Secure a Part of the Money—Particulars in Male and Female Help Column Today.

WANTED.

Agents.

IF YOU apply for a position or advertise for help in these columns Daily or Sunday and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

AGENTS wanted in Pittsburgh and natural gas towns to sell the Damons Williom gaslight burner; it excels all other high-power burners in brilliancy, durability and economy; makes fully 2000-candlepower light with one small, regular size 10-cent mantle; lasts indefinitely. The new Williom No. 5, just out, is the KING OF LIGHTS for residences and stores; can be used on high or low pressure, either ARTIFICIAL OR NOTURAL GAS. Its illuminating power is three times greater than that of the ordinary burner; any mantle or any style globe or chimney can be used. It is a light that never fails. It is the only DUST PROOF light in existence. The airholes are enclosed by a perforated shield which excludes all lint and dust from the burner. It is the safest regulated of all gas lights. The Williom side screw regulator is the simplest and best adjustable gas check ever devised. The flame can be regulated from the highest to the lowest point of combustion, thus saving the consumer 25 or 30 per cent on his lighting bills. People who use the Williom "No. 5" have the satisfaction of knowing that every atom of gas they pay for is turned into light. We are offering special inducements to agents; the best of the season just starting, enabling them to make $5 to $15 a day. THE WILLTOM GASLIGHT CO., 3621 Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Male Help.

IF YOU apply for a position or advertise for help in these columns Daily or Sunday and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

AUDITOR—A very well-known manufacturing company wants a traveling auditor; it is imperative that the man should have experience in branch house work. Salary $2,400. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

ACTIVE MEN to travel; from country preferred; guaranteed salary $21 weekly; expenses; experience unnecessary. Guarantee Agency, Room 3, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN, structural engineer, acquainted with buildings. Star, 120 Sixth st.

BARBER TRADE learned six weeks. NOSOKOFF'S BARBER SCHOOL, 1405 Penn ave.

BOY—Good-sized boy to run errands; must live in East End and come well recommended. WILL PRICE, 209-211 Sixth st.

The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

BOY wanted with some draughting room experience. Apply G 150, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

COLLECTOR—Traveling advertising collector, $15 weekly and expenses; $150 in cash bond. Call Pickett, American house. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

COLLEGE MAN—Young man of good education and personality, one who possesses considerable tact, to investigate accident claims for insurance company. Salary $75 a month. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

DIE MAKER—First-class. McDowell Manufacturing Co., Stanton ave., Millvale. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

DRAUGHTSMAN—A mechanical draughtsman with about one year's experience, preferably on locomotive work; prefer graduate engineer. Salary $1,000. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

EDUCATE FOR POSITIONS AT THE ACTUAL BUSINESS COLEGE, 310 Fifth avenue—Ten-Cent Store Building. DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL. Young and middle-aged men and women admitted. Free employment department. Telephone 2290 Court. ESTABLISHED 1885. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

HIGH-GRADE positions open to Executive, Clerical, Technical and Salesmen, paying from $1,000 to $5,000 a year. Call or write. HAPGOODS (inc.) "Brain Brokers," 705 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh.

JANITOR—To take charge of offices; living quarters for man and wife on premises. Address Y 170, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

MAN HUNTING is our business. If you are competent to fill a strictly high grade Business or Technical position call or write, HAPGOODS (inc.) "Brain Brokers," 705 Park Bldg., Pittsburgh.

MEN—Employed during the day can earn $10 to $15 extra every week working for us evenings; we want you to sell the wonderful new Sun Gas Light to your friends and neighbors; it is an improvement over all other burners; it produces a very brilliant light and will last a lifetime; it is only sold by agents and cannot be bought at the stores; we are open evenings. Sun Gas Burner Company, room 25, No. 12 Federal st., near Sixth street bridge, Allegheny, Pa.

MEN for the United States marine corps; able-bodied, unmarried men, between 21 and 35; good character; must speak, read and write English; marine service at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions and at naval stations in the United States. Apply recruiting office, room 414 Federal building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOB PRESS feeders at once. Keystone Label Co., 218 Third ave. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

MEN—Two energetic men to travel; staple line; $80 month salary, commission and expenses; $50 cash security needed, fully secured. Hannus, room 138 Colonial hotel. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

PHARMACIST—A large company of manufacturing chemists want a man experienced in compounding pills and pellets. Salary $18 a week. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

SALESMAN—For an electric supply and specialty house; would prefer an electrical engineer who has had some selling experience, but will take a good specialty man with good record. Salary $1,200 and commission; expenses. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

SOLICITOR—Good man on weekly paper; big commission. 311 Bessemer building. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

SOLICITORS—Twenty-five first-class solicitors for city or road work. Address Franklin E. Peebles, Columbus, O.

STENOGRAPHER-TYPEWRITER — Government service; supply unequal to demand; examination soon. Particulars furnished by Superintendent Cochran, 310 Empire building. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

SALESMEN—Two experienced specialty salesmen; men who have had road experience, and who have been successful for western cities. Salary $1,000 and expenses. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

TYPEWRITER—With knowledge of stenography; must be a young man of good habits, ambitious and willing to work for moderate salary; state age, experience and wages expected. Address E. 167, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

STENOGRAPHER—An experienced stenographer in the line of stocks and bonds and general financial work. Salary $100 to $125. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

THE MERCANTILE BUREAU SECURES POSITIONS FOR MEN SEEKING EMPLOYMENT. CALL AND WE WILL EXPLAIN OUR METHODS OF PLACING YOU IN A SUITABLE POSITION. INFORMATION FREE. 404—FOURTH AVE.—404

UPHOLSTERER wanted. Apply John Hagmaier, 712 E. North ave., Allegheny, Pa. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED—An experienced real estate salesman; apply by letter only, stating age, experience and reference. SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO., Farmers Bank Bldg.

WANTED—An all-around wagonmaker. Apply 2139 Fifth ave., city. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GENERAL MANAGER—Foundry and machine company located in the Pittsburgh district are in the market for a man to take entire charge of their business. Must be able to estimate, superintend and make contracts for same care and on general foundry work and machine repair. Salary $1,800. HAPGOODS, INC., BRAIN BROKERS, 705 Park Bldg.

WANTED—Salesman calling on grocery and restaurant trade to handle a good side line. Address box 0, Wellsville, O.

WANTED.

Male Help.

YOUNG MEN to learn telegraphy and accept positions on railroad; rare opportunity; call at once. PENNSYLVANIA TELEGRAPH COLLEGE, No. 609-601-602-603 Lewis Block.

Female Help

IF YOU apply for a position or advertise for help in these columns Daily or Sunday and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

COOKS, chambermaids, dishwashers, white waiters out of city; positions guaranteed. 529 Wylie ave.

COOK—Good cook and laundress. Apply 812 North Highland ave., East End, Pittsburgh. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL—Girl for general housework; must be good cook; small family, good wages. Apply at once, 625 Aiken ave. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL—Experienced in drawing, to do striping on enameled metal work; steady position. Apply the McDowell Manufacturing Co., 241 Wood st. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL wanted for general housework; reference required. 214 Wilkinsburg ave. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

GIRL—For general housework; two in family; $4.50 up. 1215 Esplanade, Allegheny.

SOLICITOR—Young woman for weekly paper; salary guaranteed. Address Y 128, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WANTED—A few more young women to learn telegraphy, day or evening. Pennsylvania Telegraph College, Lewis Block.

WOMEN—$30 thousand copying letters; no mailing to friends or furnishing addresses; stamped envelope particulars. U. S. Advertising Co., Dept. P 22, Chicago. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

WOMAN—Strong woman to tend invalid woman, one that wants home, little housework. 220 Miller st., Knoxville. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus, if you secure employment through this advertisement.

Situations.—Male and Female.

IF YOU secure a situation through an advertisement in this column Daily or Sunday The Gazette will pay you fifty cents for your success. See coupon on want page.

SALESMAN—Single young man now connected with one of our large sheet and plate iron manufacturers in the east, wishes to put out on the road, preferable same line of business. Address Z 202, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus, if you secure employment through this advertisement.

SITUATION—By man who wants to better his condition; capable of managing any or all branches of the mercantile business or a high-class specialty salesman or regular line; would prefer to engage on trial; best of references. Address X 128, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you fifty cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

POSITION by a young lady with architects, engineers or contractors; can do stenography, bookkeeping or tracing; references. Address U 124, The Gazette. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

POSITION wanted by graduate engineer with five years' experience in construction and detail work; some manufacturing concern preferred. Lock box 257, Allegheny City, Pa. The Gazette will pay you 50 cents bonus if you secure employment through this advertisement.

SELECT help furnished from Working Girls' home. 'Phone 9242 Grant, 2041 Main.

Male and Female Help.

MEN AND WOMEN

to advertise in situation columns for employment.

$500.00 IN CASH—FREE.

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Through an advertisement in the want columns of The Gazette you will receive a part of the money.

The offer is for Daily or Sunday, and any person obtaining a position through such advertisement will be entitled to a share of the money.

You Get the Money Either Way.

If you apply for any position advertised in the want columns of The Gazette and succeed in obtaining it, The Gazette will pay you a cash bonus for your success.

A CASH COUPON

Is printed upon the want page of The Gazette. If you want work or wish to better your present position, start your ad at once and get a share of the $500 as well as a good position. Special rates on seven consecutive day ads.

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WANT A FARM.

Want to buy for cash, a small farm within 20 miles of Pittsburgh; with buildings, 20 to 50 acres, near R. R., good land, with plenty of water; will go as high as $4,500 or $5,000, if farm suits me. O. C. COOKE, 600 Park Bldg.

Real Estate.

List your property with us for sale or exchange. Milligan Manor Lots a Specialty. (The big money makers.)

THE J. M. LOOSE REALTY CO., Real Estate, Loans, Insurance, 424 Fourth ave.

Houses.

WANTED—House for April 1st possession, in good location, in East End; $5,000 to $8,000. Must be a bargain. Give full description. Address Attorney, East Liberty Postoffice, Pittsburgh.

Business Opportunities.

WANT rooming house in Allegheny, near park and grocery. East End; also pool room. Call CROWN REALTY CO., 506 Times Bldg.

Pupils.

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Elegant new buff brick house, nine rooms and reception hall, tile bath, cemented cellar, furnace, etc. Hardwood floors in hall and dining room. Good location. Can give early possession.
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Meade ave., between Division and Cliff sts.; 2-story frame dwelling and stable on lot 235x201, four minutes' walk from electric car line and train; 15 rooms and bath; first floor finished in hardwood; center hall; hot and cold water, natural gas, electric light, hardwood mantels, furnace, laundry, cemented cellar, all modern conveniences; stable room for 4 head; carriage house, cement floor; fruit and shade trees on grounds; commands a beautiful view of the Ohio valley. Will sell house, stable and 130 ft. front if desired.
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Reception hall buff brick, 9 rooms, bath, furnace, range, cabinet mantels; on paved street.
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Center hall, pressed brick, h. w. floors and stairway, cabinet mantels, tiled bath, 3 w. c.'s, laundry, plate glass windows, f. and h. stairs, and porches; butler's pantry, sliding doors, fruit and shade trees; lot 80x140; $25,000. A beautiful home in fine paved avenue.
VERNER REALTY COMPANY,
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A good frame house in Shadyside district, near Center and Millvale avenues, containing 9 rooms, reception hall (with fireplace), bath, furnace, large porches, etc.; lot is 50x120 feet, with alley in rear; macadamized street; possession April 1. This will not last. See us at once.
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FOR SALE—$20,000.
Attractive East End residence,
New house, colonial,
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Three baths, butler's pantry,
Hot water heating,
Hardwood floors and
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High class decorations,
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An exceptionally well built House; every possible thing
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Stanton, cor. Euclid—Frame, 12 rooms, all modern; stable; lot 58x165.
Owner is going to California ... $16,000
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FOR SALE—Brick house of 10 rooms, with lot 50x120, on corner Wellesley ave. and St. Clair st., E. E., all modern appliances. Inquire of Peterson, Horring & Co., 909 Keystone bldg., Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.
Bennett, between Lang and Murtland—Brick, reception hall, all modern. First-class all over. Lot 36x135 to alley $7,000
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$25,000 RESIDENCE FOR $12,000.
Makes us an offer for handsome 8-story brick residence, Lincoln ave., near park, Allegheny. It cost $25,000 only a few years ago. Owner will sacrifice at half price or less. Immediate possession.
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FOR SALE.
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GREAT FARM BARGAIN—Good farm of 102 acres in Erie county, Pa.; good gravelly farm; 100,000 feet sawing timber; worth $3,000; will sell for $2,450 if sold immediately; $1,000 cash, balance on time at 5 per cent. Clark W. Luther, Girard, Pa.

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FOR SALE.
Three acres of ground, lies well, good building site; near old flour mill at West View, adjoining Eadenburg; plan for, fronting two streets, Perrysville cars. Price $1,500 per acre.
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MANUFACTURING SITE,
Adjoining large industries; unexcelled location; all railroad connections; land level; above high-water mark. Taxes low.
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MORTGAGES,
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MONEY ON REAL ESTATE. Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city or suburbs.
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APARTMENT HOUSE SITES!
$200 a Foot Cheaper than Figure Paid for Opposite Corner.

Lot is 120x165 feet; located at corner of Penn and Homewood aves.—directly opposite H. C. Frick's residence. Is easily accessible by Pennsylvania R. R. from Homewood station and by Penn ave. traction cars, which run past it. A more ideal site in point of surroundings, etc., couldn't be found. The "investment side" is another great item. Think of paying exactly $200 a foot less than the figure paid for opposite corner.

FREEHOLD REAL ESTATE COMPANY,
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CRAFTON BUILDING LOTS.
Only a few more left in our Crafton Center Plan. They are going fast; act quickly; first come, first served. For particulars, see or write
GLAZIER & WOOD,
18 Wabash ave., West End, City.

FOR SALE—West Liberty plan No. 2, on Fourth ave. Make me an offer on lot No. 341 and 342 for cash. Lot 341 is 50x100 ft. square. Lot 342 is a corner lot 97.62 ft. x 127.45 ft. x 18.02 ft. x 100 ft. Albert J. Flowers, Dixmont, Pa.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Bellevue, one 9-room center hall house; two 9-room reception hall houses. F. H. Belz, 127 Grant ave. Bell 'phone 360-W.

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ROOMING HOUSE BARGAIN.
This house is a bargain.
12 rooms completely furnished.
Good body brussels carpets on all floors.
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Finest location in Oakland.
Rent $62.50 a month; modern house.
One of the best bargains ever offered for the money.
Must be sold by Thursday.
Worth $1,200; price $800.
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GROCERY STORE—Doing a business of $1,200 per month; stock and fixtures will invoice $1,700; will take $1,200 if sold this week.

RESTAURANT—Good manufacturing town and no competition; receipts $300 per week; price, including furniture of six rooms, $700.

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GENTS' FURNISHING STORE—One-half interest, with salary to man who can act as manager; in well located "gents' furnishing store in a nearby suburb; will involve about $2,000; to right man a splendid opportunity will be given. For particulars see
MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

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GROCERY—Neat, small store in Allegheny; doing cash business of $125 to $150 a month; rent, good room and 5 living rooms, only $25; very desirable stand; price only $650.
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AT ALL TIMES there are some who want to buy, others who want to sell, it's our business to bring buyer and seller together; you will save time and money by going to an old reliable agent. All transactions confidential.
B. B. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D,
Established 1893.
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ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms, all furnished; partly filled with roomers, with lease. 514 Sandusky st., Allegheny; price $650. Inquire at house.

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HARDWARE STORE—Best location in Beaver valley, business last year $12,600; will sell at invoice, about $6,000 cash; no agents. Beaver Hardware Co., Beaver, Pa.

ROOMING HOUSE—Completely furnished rooming house 16 rooms, E. E. Address Z. 101, The Gazette.

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WE SELL ENGINES
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For any purpose. All sizes from 2 h. p. up. Here are some of our bargains:
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One 7 h. p. Lozier Gas Engine.
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Agents for the famous Fairbanks, Morse & Co. and Warren Gas and Gasoline Engines, Dynamos, Motors and Steam Pumps. Private Pumping and Electric Light Outfits a specialty.
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FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 8 to 125-H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
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HELLO—Having trouble with your Engines, Dynamos, Pumps and Burners again? Let us help you out. Expert electrical and gas engine work. Manufacturers of the Empire Tachometer; also Empire Siphon Gas Burner.
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FOOS GAS ENGINES.
Strictly high grade, over 200 in use in Allegheny county. Get our prices before buying.
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FOR SALE—Gas engines, gasoline; complete gasoline yachts; vertical and horizontal, all sizes. Pumping engines, all purposes, 1-6 H. P. to 6 H. P. Clark, 316 Fourth ave.
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Pulleys, Hangers, Shafting, Belting, etc.
GENERAL MACHINE WORK.
BRIGGS MACHINERY CO., 238 Second ave.

FOR SALE—Sheet iron worker's Samson punch, $10; blacksmith anvil and tools; oak bench tops. Weldon & Kelly Co.

FOR SALE.

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BIDS FURNISHED FOR MOVING AND INSTALLING MACHINERY,
repair gas engines, heating machinery, electric ignitors repointed at lower prices; manufacturers of special tools and machinery, no trouble to answer 'phone on estimates.
VICTOR MACHINERY CO.,
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Corner Eighth and Liberty sts.
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300-light 110-volt electric generator.
200-light 125-volt electric generator.
150-light 115-volt electric generator.
75-light 110-volt electric generator.
42 KW 220-volt electric generator.
Marble switch-board, 24x44", with volt meter, ammeter and three switches.
Also engines, boilers and pumps.
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Both 'phones.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A 125-volt Westinghouse dynamo, in first-class condition. Allegheny Mattress and Spring Bed Co., Locust st. and Preble ave., Allegheny, Pa.

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FOR SALE—A quiet, gentle horse, suitable for buggy or light farm work. Inquire of C. G. Ramsey, Washington pike, Greentree borough.

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SPECIAL attention to SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING by first-class workmen; GENUINE needles, attachments and parts for ALL MAKES; LOWEST PRICES; all work GUARANTEED.
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TWO-CYLINDER, 16 H. P., Pierce Touneau, with canopy top, complete and in good running order; speedometer, extra shoes, etc. Inquire 916 Frick building. Telephone Court 1052.

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FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.
20 show cases and tables, 6 feet long; 8 large electric chandeliers, 10 electric upright chandeliers, 5 beautiful electric fitted wall cases, jewelry trays, 2 safes, 22 framed beveled mirrors, electric fans, etc.
BARRIOS DIAMOND CO.,
231 Fifth ave.

FOR SALE—Office furniture bargains. We are overstocked with mahogany goods. Desks, roll top, flat and standing; Tables, Chairs, etc. We are making extraordinary low prices to close out and sort up. BAKER OFFICE FURNITURE CO., 815-817 Liberty ave.

GREATEST sacrifice sale of fireproof safes and cash registers ever offered in this city; cash registers from $22 up; over 100 safes to be sacrificed, closing out to the business regardless of price. C. W. Franklin, 129 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—Complete dining room suite, folding bed and other articles of household furniture. 5444 Baywood st., East End.

SLOT MACHINES of every description; new and second hand. Geo. Paluson, 221 Diamond st., Pittsburgh.

BAR fixtures, pool tables, etc.; reasonable, easy terms. Delp's, Fourth and Liberty.

FINE old Martin guitar, cost $75, for $25. N. Gallinger, 1209 Penn ave.

ORCHESTRION, fine one; pool tables, easy payments; show cases, shelving. 3 Market sq.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ALFRED M. LEE, Attorney-at-law, No. 21 St. Nicholas building. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at No. 418 April term, 1905, on Saturday, March 4, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. by Samuel Herron, Harry T. Phillips, Thomas J. Miller, William J. Mosgrop and William Schafer, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called Highland Commandery No. 256, A. and I. O. Knights of Malta, the object and object of which is for the promotion of benevolence and charity among its members, the pursuance and practice of the teachings of the Holy Bible and the fostering and promoting of brotherly love and confidence and mutual helpfulness among its members, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. Alfred M. Lee, solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1905, by Edward W. Demmler, Frederick E. Schenck and Frederick H. Schenck, under the corporation act of 1874 and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation

STOCK MARKET BUOYANT, CLOSING NEAR THE TOP

Under the Lead of Union Pacific and U. S. Steel Many Securities Reach the Highest Prices for Several Years.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York market was active and buoyant yesterday from start to finish, and closing prices were at or near the highest of the day. The sales foot up 1,800,000 shares, the largest total since last October. The London market was reported to be almost as broad as our own, and foreigners were large purchasers of Union Pacific and United States Steel. Consols advanced to 91, the highest since early last year, and continental markets were also reported firmer, although French rentes closed a fraction lower, probably on the announcement that French bankers were preparing to float another Russian war loan. Intimations that this deferred loan would be brought out rather disposed of the confident predictions that peace with Japan was near at hand, but that suggestion did not receive much attention yesterday.

Union Pacific was again the leader of the railroad list, and on enormous transactions advanced to 134¾, the highest price ever quoted and 1¼ per cent above the highest reached on the famous boom in May, 1901. This rise was in the face of very heavy sales to take profits by the professional operators who have been predicting 150 for the stock eventually, but who have felt that the rise has been so great that a reaction was due. Southern Pacific advanced to 69¾, the highest since 1902, when the Keene pool was bulling the stock. Great Northern made a new high record by advancing to 290¾, a net gain of 5 points, and Northern Securities was also strong, although it did not reach the high level of Monday. St. Paul rallied only a small fraction and was one of the few stocks to close a shade lower for the day.

At the other extreme of the railroad list Ontario & Western and Erie were quite active and strong, reaching the highest level on this movement. Atchison advanced to 89¾ and closed with a net gain of 1 per cent, a new high mark, and Toledo, St. Louis & Western rose to 31½, which is the highest for more than a year. There was a little more activity in the Gould stocks, and Missouri Pacific held its gain better than for some days past, closing at a new gain of ½ per cent. Pennsylvania continued to hang back and advanced only fractionally to 140¼, closing at a net gain of only ⅜ per cent. Baltimore & Ohio closed 1¾ higher, Reading ⅝ higher and Norfolk & Western ¾ per cent higher.

In the industrial list the greatest activity was in the iron and steel stocks, although the market as a whole was broader than at any previous time this year. United States Steel common on large transactions advanced to 33¾, the highest since 1903, and the preferred to 95¾, the highest since 1901. The former closed ⅝ and the latter ¼ higher for the day. Tennessee Coal and Iron was conspicuous for strength, advancing to and closing with a final sale at 86½, representing a net gain for the day of 4½ per cent. The greatest advance occurred after the official announcement by the board of directors that none of the officers of the corporation is aware of any negotiations pending or contemplated for a merger of southern iron and steel interests. Sloss-Sheffield advanced to 98½, or 22 points over Monday's price, and Republic Iron and Steel, another stock which was mentioned as interested in the deal, advanced to new high prices on this movement for both the common and preferred. United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry common and preferred also made new high marks.

Amalgamated Copper advanced to 77⅞, the highest of the year, and closed with a net gain of 1⅝ per cent, and all the minor copper stocks in the Boston market were stronger. Sentiment on this group continues quite bullish.

National Lead experienced a sharp reaction, selling off from 39 to 36, but later recovered part of the loss. American Smelting also declined and closed a shade lower. Federal Mining and Smelting broke to 107½, as compared with 120 on Monday, and recovered to 109½, a net loss of 6½ per cent.

At the close of the market the bulls felt more assured of their position because the strength was maintained to the end of the final hour, and this in the face of the impending holiday, the markets being closed today. Still, the more conservative houses were suggesting the advisability of taking profits, since the market was displaying the usual signals that it was nearing the top, if it had not reached that level.

The only important development of the day was the sharp decline in rates for sterling exchange, which renders impossible further exports of gold. It is recalled that a few weeks ago several of the international banking houses put in applications to the assay office for all the gold bars that could be furnished up to the 15th of March, and the supposition then was that the movement would continue until that date. Then the assay officials adopted a rule that prevented the engagement ahead of gold bars, and now the course of international exchange has placed a natural barrier between exports of the metal from New York. The ease in call loan rates in the face of the holiday and of the increase in speculative requirements was also regarded as favorable.

Some weight was attached to reports from Washington that it was finally decided no railroad rate bill would pass this session of the senate, and that the president would not call an extra session of congress before next October, at the earliest. Some traders were inclined to ascribe the buoyancy of the railroads to the Washington reports.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The bond market: District of Columbia 3s, 68s, 118½; Philippine 4s, 103½ bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale
Imp. Jap. 6s, ster. loan	102	101¼	101¾
Do 6s, K., L. & C.	99¾	99⅜	99½
Cuba 5s	108	107¾	107¾
American Nf. & L. 6s	106½	106½	106½
American Tobacco 6s	117	116¾	117
Do 4s	75½	75	75¼
Atchison gen. 4s	104¾	104½	104½
Brooklyn Rap. Tr. con 4s	86¼	86⅛	86⅝
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	100¾	99½	100
C., R. I. & P. col. 4s	82¼	82¼	82⅜
Do col. 5s	97	96¾	96¾
Mexican National con. 4s	82¾	82½	82¾
Oregon Short Line 6s	126	127	127
Pennsylvania con. 4½s	104¾	104¾	104¾
P. & E. inc. 4s	82	80½	82
Reading gen. 4s	102¾	102⅜	102¾
St. L. S. W. con 4s	82¼	82¼	82¾
Sou. Air Line Ry. gold 4s	91¾	90¾	91½
S., R. & T. 6s	48¾	47	48¾
Union Pacific 1st 4s	106	105¾	106
Do conv. 4s	132½	129⅝	132¾
U. S. R. & I. con. Debb. 5s	102⅝	102¼	102⅝
U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	95	94⅜	94⅝
Wabash 1st 5s	119	118¾	118⅝
Do deb. 8s	70¼	70	70¾
Western Maryland 4s	93	92½	92½

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	84¼	American Sugar	145
Do preferred	102⅝	Do preferred	138½
*Bos. & Albany	258¼	Am. Tel. & Tel.	140⅜
†Boston & Maine	177	American Woolen	24
†Boston Elevated	156½	Do preferred	98¼
Fitchburg pfd.	143½	Dom. Iron & Stl.	18
Mexican Central	17¾	Mass. Gas	44
N. Y. N. H. & H.	204	United Fruit	112¼
*Pere Marquette	102	United Shoe Mach.	58½
Union Pacific	131½	Do preferred	35
Am. Agric. Chem.	27½	U. S. Steel	33⅝
Do preferred	90½	Do preferred	95¾
Am. Pneu. Tube	6⅜		

*Bid. †Asked.

Express Companies Stocks.

Adams	247½	United States	135
American	230	Wells-Fargo	260

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
20900	A., T. & S. F.	88¼	89⅞	88⅝	89⅝
4200	Do preferred	103	103½	102¾	102¾
1000	Am. Col. Oil	55⅝	55⅝	55¼	55½
21800	Am. Sug. Ref.	144¾	145¾	144¾	145¾
4800	Am. Loco.	41¼	41¾	40⅝	40½
400	Do preferred	111½	112	110½	110
1200	Am. Car Fdy.	34½	34¾	34½	34¾
800	Do preferred	87¼	87⅝	87¼	87⅝
118100	Amal. Cop.	76¼	77⅞	76⅜	77⅜
2100	Anac. Cop.	108¾	109¾	107¾	108
32300	Am. S. & Ref.	88⅝	90¾	88⅜	89
2700	Do preferred	118¾	119	118	118
1600	Amer. Ice	6	8	8	9
500	Do preferred	40	40¾	40	40
29100	B. & O.	106¼	108	106¼	106
200	Do preferred	97¼	97⅜	97	97½
25100	Bklyn. R. T.	62¾	63⅝	62⅜	62¾
7000	Can. Pacific	137¾	137¾	137	137¾
9900	Chi. & Gt. W.	24½	25	23¾	24¾
4800	Con. Gas	205½	207	205¼	205¾
3600	C., C., C. & S. L.	98½	100	98¼	100
4400	Ches. & Ohio	51⅜	51⅞	51¼	51¾
100	Chi. & Alton	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼
2200	Chi. & N. W.	237½	238	237½	237½
22000	Colo. F. & I.	62	62¾	61⅝	62
2900	Colo. Product.	21¾	21¾	21¾	21⅝
400	Do preferred	75	75	75	75
2300	Colo. Southern	26¾	26⅝	26	26
110	Do 1st pref.	63½	63⅝	63⅜	63
350	Do 2d pref.	37½	38	37⅜	37
200	D., L. & W.	357⅜	358	355¼	358
4800	Del. & Hud.	104¾	104¾	103⅝	103
98500	Erie	45⅞	45⅞	45⅜	45⅝
10200	Do 1st pref.	80½	80⅝	80⅜	80½
5500	Do 2d pref.	67¾	68¼	67¾	68¼
1200	Gen. Electric	180⅜	187½	180⅜	187
500	Hook. Valley	92⅝	92⅝	91⅜	91⅝
500	Do preferred	91	91⅜	91	91½
5000	Ill. Central	158	159⅛	158	158½
300	Iowa Central	29	29⅜	29	29⅜
2499	Int. Paper	22¾	22⅞	21	21
	Do preferred				77⅛
	L. E. & W.	39	39⅜	39	39⅝
2700	L. & N.	139¾	139¾	139	139
2300	Manhattan	172⅝	172⅞	172	172
37700	Mo. Pacific	108	108⅝	107⅜	108⅛
6200	M., K. & T.	31⅜	32	31¼	32
4900	Do preferred	64½	66	64½	65⅜
8800	Metropolitan	120⅜	121¾	120½	120¾
2900	Do Securities	81¼	82	81	81⅛
8000	Mex. Central	22	23	22⅛	22⅝
16700	Nat. Lead	39	39	36	37⅛
	Do preferred	110⅜	110⅜	110	110½
	Nat. Biscuit	57⅛	57⅝	57	57½
	N. Y. Air Brake	154½	154½	154¾	154
11900	N. Y. Central	148¾	148⅞	147¾	148⅜
	N. J. Central	201	201	201	201
77800	N. Y., O. & W.	63¼	63⅝	63⅜	63⅛
8300	Nor. & Western	85⅝	86	85⅜	86
200	Do preferred	83	83⅝	83	82
200	No. Amer. Co.	102	102	102	102
2200	Peoples Gas	107¼	107⅝	107¼	107½
1600	Pac. Mail	48¼	48¾	47	47⅝
4000	Pr. Steel Car	37⅝	38⅛	37⅝	38
600	Do preferred	88¾	89	88⅝	88
85600	Penn. R. R.	138⅞	140¼	139¾	140
	Ry. Springs	36½	37	36	36¾
	Pitts. Coal	97¼	97¾	93	97¾
	Pref.	95½	96⅜	94¾	96⅛
189500	Reading	95¾	96⅝	95¼	96⅛
100	Do 1st pref.	92	92	92	92
	Do 2d pref.				90¾
21000	Rock Island	34⅜	35⅝	34⅜	24⅞
500	Do preferred	81¾	81⅝	81¼	81½
31000	Rep. Iron	19½	20¾	19¼	20⅝
13900	Do preferred	77⅜	80	77¾	79⅞
67900	So. Pacific	69¼	69⅞	68¾	69⅝
28400	So. Railway	26⅝	26⅝	25⅝	26⅛
800	Do preferred	97½	97½	97	97½
20800	St. Paul	178¾	178¾	177¾	177⅝
	Do preferred				188½
500	St. L. & S. W.	28¼	29½	28	28⅝
800	Do preferred	65¾	65⅜	62¾	62
87100	Tenn. C. & I.	82½	86¾	82½	86½
32900	Tex. & Pac.	38	38	36	35⅝
4000	T., St. L. & W.	30¾	31¾	30¾	30¾
9600	Do preferred	56¾	57¾	55¾	55¾
137300	U. S. Steel	33⅝	34	33¼	33¾
4200	Do preferred	95½	95⅝	94¾	94¾
	Do 2d 5% bnds	95	95¾	94¾	94
280300	Union Pacific	130½	134¾	129¾	132¾
2800	Do preferred	101¾	101¾	101¼	101¼
2000	U. S. Rubber	44	44	43¾	43¾
200	Do preferred	114	114	113⅜	113¾
1400	U. S. Leather	12¾	13	12¾	12¾
1100	Do preferred	105¼	105¾	105	104¾
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	26¾	28⅛	26¾	28¾
	Do preferred	85½	89⅝	85¾	85⅞
2100	U. S. Realty	90½	90½	89¾	89¾
2000	Wabash	23	23	22¾	22¾
2700	Do preferred	46¾	47	46	46⅝
400	W. U. Tel.	93½	93½	93	93
	W. & L. E.				18
	Do 1st pref.	44	45¼	43¾	45¼
	Do 2d pref.	27	27	27	27½
1600	Wis. Central	24½	24⅝	24½	24½
2500	Do preferred	52⅜	53⅜	52⅜	53
200	W. El. 2de pref.	186	190	180	190
2900	Va. Chem. Co.	38	39	38	38¾
400	Do preferred	119	119	110	109½

INACTIVE LIST.

6500	Am. St'l Fdries.	....	16¾	16⅜	18¼
5200	Do preferred	....	63¼	62¾	62¾
2200	Allis Chalmers	....	18⅝	18	18⅝
200	Do preferred	....	66¾	66¼	66½
500	Am. Grass & T.	....	9½	8¾	8½
900	Am. H. & L. pfd.	....	48¾	48¼	48¾
9000	American Malt.	....	7⅛	7⅜	7½
	Do preferred	....			30
1000	Am. Tob. pf. new	....	97¾	97¼	97⅝
500	Chic. Union Trac.	....	12	11⅝	12
200	Do preferred	....	49	49	49½
600	Chi. Term. Trans.	....	18½	18⅛	18
500	Do preferred	....	83¾	83	83⅝
300	Detroit United	....	78¾	78⅝	78¾
600	Det. South. Ry.	....	6½	6½	6⅜
200	D., S. S. & A.	....	16	16	15⅜
200	Do preferred	....	32½	32½	32½
400	Federal Smelting	....	114	107½	110
3400	Do preferred	....	97	94½	94⅜
1300	Internat. Pump	....	28¾	28¼	28¼
100	Kanawha & Mich.	....	36	36	36
300	K. C. & South.	....	31¾	30¾	30½
6500	Do preferred	....	67	66¼	66¾
100	K. C., F. S. & M. pf.	....	82½	82½	82¾
600	Lehigh Coal & Nav.	....	13	12	13
200	K. & M. Ry.	....	13	13	13
8200	M., S. P. & S. S. M.	....	106¾	104	106⅝
	Minn. & St. L.	....	56	50	60
5700	M., K. & T.	....	32¼	31¾	32
200	N. Y. Airbrake	....	154½	154½	154
500	Pacific Coast Co.	....	94	93½	93¾
100	Pere Marquette	....	101	101	101
500	Do preferred	....	88¾	88¾	89¼
2100	Rubber Goods	....	27	26¾	26¾
17900	Sloss	....	98¾	87¼	98
200	Do preferred	....	114	113	114
200	Third Avenue	....	132	153½	152
	Union Bag & P.	....	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
	Do preferred	....	90	90	89¾
	Va. Car.—Chem.	....	89	88¾	88¾
	Do preferred	....	110	110	109¼
400	Va. I., C. & C.	....	42¼	42	42¾

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104½	Japan 6s, ctfs.	101¾
Do coupon	104¾	L. & N. unif. 4s	103⅜
U. S. 3s, reg.	108½	Man. C. gold 4s	106½
Do coupon	108¾	Mexican Cen. 4s	74½
U. S. new 4s, reg.	134½	Do 1st	92½
Do coupon	134¼	Do 2nds	86
U. S. old 4s, reg.	105½	Mex. Central 4s	82¾
Do coupon	106½	Mex. Intern. 4s	100
Am. Teb. 4s, ctfs.	75½	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	100
Atchison gen. 4s	104¾	N. J. C. gen. 5s	135¾
Do adj. ctfs.	110⅜	North. Pacific 4s	105½
Atl. Coast L. 4s	105½	Nor. & W. gen. 6s	114
Balt. & Ohio 4s	105	N. & W. con. 4s	101
Can. Southern 2ds	86	Ore. S. L. rfdg. 4s	97¾
Cen. Georgia 5s	115	Penna. conv. 3½s	104¾
Do 1st inc.	82	Reading gen. 4s	102¾
Do 2nd inc.	68	*St. L. & I. M. c. 5s	117
Ches. & Ohio 4½s	103¾	St. L. & S. F. g. 4s	91¾
C. & A. 1st 3½s	89¾	St. L. S. W. con. 4s	82¾
C., B. & Q. 4s	100	Seab'd Air L. 4s	84¾
C. R. I. & P. 4s	82⅝	South. Pacific 4s	90½
Do col. 5s	96⅞	Southern Ry. 5s	120
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s	106	*Tex. & Pac. 1sts	123
*Chicago Ter. 4s	97	T. St. L. & W. 4s	84½
*Col. Midland 4s	75	Union Pacific 4s	106½
Col. & South. 4s	92¾	Do conv. 4s	133½
Del. & Hud. 4s	120¾	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	94¾
D. & R. G. 4s	101⅝	Wabash 1sts	119¾
Distillers' Sec. 5s	79½	Do Deb. B	70¼
Erie prior lien 4s	101⅝	W. Maryland 4s	92½
Do gen. 4s	92¾	W. & L. E. 4s	90
F. W. & D. C. 1st	140½	Wisconsin Cen. 4s	94
*Hock. Val. 4½s	111½		

Total sales (par value), $5,663,600.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	11⅞	International Salt	28
Do preferred	69½	Do 5s	68
Bay State Gas	6⅜	North. Securities	161
Electric Vehicles	13	Otis Elevator	69
Do preferred	22	Do preferred	109
Greene Con. Cop.	28⅝	Seab'd Air Line	18
Interborough	206	Do preferred	38
Int. Mer. Mar.	13	Standard Oil	595
Do preferred	34½	Tennessee Copper	80

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westinghouse com.	88	Mass. Electric	14
Edison Elec. Il.	250	Do preferred	58
General Electric	188		

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The Calumet and Arizona dividend of $2 per share is payable March 20. Books close March 4.

It is reported that in the breast of the big bore known as the Ophelia tunnel, which is being driven into Paxton hill by the Cripple Creek & Pueblo Railway Company, several veins carrying very good values have been encountered.

Interest is now centered about the 10 Pass mine on Beacon hill, which has become one of the greatest properties the Cripple Creek district has yet known. The mine is the object of the largest speculative attraction. The El Paso Company will shortly begin various improvements in addition to the new modern ore house now being erected, which will be completed within the next four weeks ready for use.

From the standpoint of development the Shoppe lease on the Cripple Creek Consolidated property is the most promising to date of the mines in the entire district. The lessees have been sending to the company stock from this lease to over $5,000 a month, with improvement showing as work progresses. These well-defined veins, all carrying pay ore, have been opened on the claims, and every one has been proven sufficiently to warrant the statement positively that all of the veins were opened in the first level at a depth of 900 feet. Two of them have also been encountered 100 feet lower.

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Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. S. Huntington & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Allouez	22	23½	21¾	23	23¼
Adventure	7½	7¾	7½	7¾	7¾
Arcadian	....	....	....	....	....
Michigan	1½	1½	1½	1½	2
Atlantic	17½	17½	17½	17½	17¾
Bingham	23	23½	23	23	23½
Cal. & Ariz.	....	....	....	....	....
Cal. & Hecla	660	660	660	660	662
Centennial	20¼	21¾	20¼	21	21¼
Cal. & Pitts.	....	....	....	....	95
Dan River	....	....	....	....	3½
Franklin	11¾	11¾	11¼	11¾	11¾
Isle Royale	....	....	....	....	....
Old Dom. Co.	....	....	....	....	110
Greene	25	28	25	25¾	26¼
Granby	5¾	5¾	5½	5¾	5¾
L. S. & Pitts.	....	....	....	....	....
Isle Royale	16	16	17½	20	20½
Mass	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	14
Mohawk	65	65	65	65	65½
Michigan	15	15	14½	14¾	14¾
Quincy	90	90	90	90	91
Old Dominion	28	28	27½	27½	27¾
Old Colony	....	....	....	....	....
Parrot	29	29¼	29	29	29¼
Phoenix	....	....	....	....	....
Pgh. & Del.	....	....	....	28	32
Do full paid	....	....	....	....	....
Range Coal	11¾	12¼	11¾	12	12¼
Range Coast	....	....	....	....	....
Daly-West	18	18	17½	17¾	18
Trinity	11⅜	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝	11¾
Tamarack	154	154	150	150	155
United Fruit	115	115	112½	112¾	112½
Utah	43¾	43¾	43	43½	43¾
U. S. Mining	16¾	16¾	15¾	15¾	16
Victoria	8¾	8¾	8½	8½	8¾
Wolverine	....	....	....	110	119
Winona	13¼	13¾	13¼	13¾	13¾

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—The market today continued lively and active for the copper stocks, the principal interest, however, being the trading in Range, which advanced a point on heavy transactions. One house bought 1,000 shares. Mohawk around 65, and the issue quickly advanced to 66¾. Tomorrow being a holiday, floor traders were inclined to sell stocks today, but in morning, anticipating that they will buy them back in the last end of the week. The buying of Mass, Allouez and Winona was good all day and the floating supply of stocks is being rapidly accumulated. The steady selling of Shannon, which has been in evidence for some time, was stopped today and a few buying orders quickly advanced the price to 8¼. We still firmly believe in the stability of this movement and advise buying the good copper stocks at the present level.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

Biggest day of the year in Wall street, sales footing up 1,800,000 shares.

Industrials and railroads equally active and closing prices were at or near the highest of the day.

On sales of 289,300 shares Union Pacific reached 134, the highest ever quoted.

United States Steel common rallied to 33⅞ on sales of 137,200 shares.

Amalgamated Copper reached 77⅞ on sales of 118,100 shares, the highest of the year.

Tennessee Coal and Iron jumped to 86⅝, the highest for five years.

Sterling exchange was lower, call loans easy, foreign markets firm and Washington news favorable.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

While the Pittsburgh and Philadelphia stock exchanges were closed yesterday on account of the municipal elections, brokers with New York connections transacted one of the largest day's business this year. The activity in the market extended to all departments and if the strength of the iron and steel stocks is maintained over today's holiday—all the exchanges in the country as well as banking institutions will be closed today—it is expected that local industrial stocks will participate in the improvement. Pittsburgh stocks have not begun to discount the future to the same extent as those in Wall street.

The manner in which Pennsylvania lags behind the rest of the market is a matter of general comment in financial circles. Compared with the low level of last year, which as a rule occurred in February or March, Union Pacific has rallied 53¾ per cent, St. Paul 41¾, Reading 58¾, New York Central 30¾, Baltimore & Ohio 33, while Pennsylvania has rallied only 20 points. Pennsylvania closed yesterday exactly where it did a week ago, while Union Pacific shows an advance of 12¾ per cent. Pennsylvania, which pays 6 per cent on par, is selling only 6 points higher than Union Pacific, which pays 4 per cent, and 8 points below New York Central, which pays 3 per cent. Or to look at it in another way: United States Steel preferred is selling at practically the high level of 1901, while Pennsylvania is selling 50 points below the high level quoted in that year, and yet industrial activity and prospects of a larger tonnage on which Steel is advancing, constitute the foundation of the prosperity of Pennsylvania.

Not since the spring of 1901 has Wall street been as bullish as at the present time. It is not true that Wall street is heavily long of stocks, but it is true that sentiment is extremely bullish in spite of the great number of unfavorable developments. There is hardly a man in the entire district who does not expect to see Steel preferred sell well above par very soon. Amalgamated at par, Reading at 110 and Union Pacific at 150. Bull tips are being circulated on almost every stock on the list. In one quarter you are advised to buy United States Rubber preferred, in another Sloss-Sheffield, and in another Peoria & Eastern. The next man you meet tells you that he has heard from a close friend of H. H. Rogers that Amalgamated will sell at 85 within 10 days. It is possible that these predictions will be fulfilled, but the course of the shrewdest men here would rather have sentiment not quite so optimistic. —Adams in Philadelphia News Bureau.

The report of Delaware, Lackawanna & Western for the year ended December 31, shows a surplus after all charges, the regular 7 per cent dividend on the common stock, of $2,219,000, against $4,251,000 in the previous year, when only the regular 7 per cent dividend was paid.

Stockholders of Morgenthaler Linotype Company have voted to increase the capital stock from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000 in accordance with the recommendations of the board of directors.

The gross earnings of Chicago Great Western for the second week in February decreased $42,-726.

The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company for the year ending September 30, 1904, shows net profits of $12,681, against $10,607 in the previous year.

Gross earnings of Louisville & Nashville for the second week in February decreased $153,-455. Southern Railway for the same week decreased $127,936.

Federal Smelting and Mining Company directors have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock and 1½ per cent on the common and an extra dividend of 1 per cent on common, all payable March 15. Books close March 1 and reopen March 16.

The total value of exports of all breadstuffs in 1904 were valued at $300,307,214, against $309,012,207 in 1903, and $195,711,902 in 1902. In the present crop year, July 1 to February 16, the exports of wheat and wheat flour were 41,987,449 bushels, a decrease of 67,179,661 bushels, as compared with the previous year. Only a little more than half a billion bushels were exported last week. The total value of breadstuffs for the crop year to January 31, was $92,461,908, against $103,900,673 in the previous year.

The directors of T. C. and I. met yesterday and after the meeting the following official statement was issued: "Whereas, The daily newspapers continue to report that this company has a representative negotiating for its amalgamation with other southern iron companies, we deem it wise at this time to place on record that no such negotiations have been authorized by the board of directors. And that none of its officers are aware of such negotiations."

Fred L. Peat & Co. are sending their customers the annual number of the Drift of the Maybee for 1904. The work contains 32 diagrams of stocks, showing the operations and peculiarities of the various companies. In addition there are 21 maps of railroad systems and 12 pages of condensed information.

The directors of the National Candy Company have declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent on the first preferred stock, also a semi-annual dividend of 2¼ per cent on the second preferred stock. Both dividends are payable March 1. Books closed February 15.

There is authority for saying that the advance in National Lead is largely due to the fact that negotiations to merge the United Lead and the National Lead are still in progress, with indications that interests in the two companies are gradually coming closer together in the matter of terms. It is authoritatively stated that the Federal Mining and Smelting Company, whose stock has had a phenomenal rise, is in no way identified with the proposed Lead merger as rumored.

An official of the Pneumatic Tool Company says: "The outlook for a boom year in our line is very bright. We are never in better shape than at present and we expect that we will hardly be able to handle the business which is coming our way. It is safe to say that this year will be the largest in the history of the company. We will resume paying dividends on April 1."

Standard Oil closed at $595 bid, ex-dividend of 15 per cent. This is equivalent to a decline of about 20 points since the order was issued at Washington for the investigation of the company.

In the 12 business days ended with yesterday the sales of Union Pacific on the New York stock exchange have aggregated 2,375,000 shares. The total amount of the stock in existence is 1,607,720 shares, so that twice the entire capital stock has been tossed about in the exchange in three weeks. If anyone were buying for control it could have been acquired twice over during that period. The conclusion is that about 90 per cent of the dealings consisted of speculation pure and simple.

Evidences were unmistakable yesterday that the public was coming freely into the market. The tide of the buying demand had all of the impressive sweep of periods of widespread speculation and the movements were characteristically looking to special gains to certain stocks. The buying never ceased to be regarded was an advance in price. Whenever this occurred it was sure to be followed quickly by a surging demand which churned up the particular stock affected into violent activity and buoyancy. All news was favorably interpreted or if that was not feasible, was ignored. When the ice was once removed from the harbor and was carried irresistibly to a record price level. The previous record of 133 was touched in May, 1901, during the period of buying of the stock in retaliation of the campaign by the owners for control of Northern Pacific. Information from well informed sources precluded the idea that the spring rise in coal was to be made again next season to introduce Chinese labor in the hydraulic mines at Atlin, in the northern section of that province. A few years ago a number of Japanese were introduced into the district for this purpose, but in consequence of the international squabble the Japanese miners were compelled to abandon their intention in the matter. Since the conditions have considerably changed, there being far fewer white miners in the district than formerly, while it has been clearly shown that it is not possible to profitably operate many of the Atlin hydraulic properties without largely reduced rates of labor.

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CENTER AVENUE PROPERTY SOLD

James F. Keenan Disposes of a Shadyside Plot for $27,300.

GOOD SALE MADE IN BELLEVUE

Through the Commonwealth Real Estate Company James F. Keenan has sold 50 feet of the frontage at the northwest corner of Center and Euclid avenues which he recently purchased from the Mellons. The consideration was $27,600, or a considerable advance over what he paid for the property. The total frontage which Mr. Keenan purchased was 100 feet, having a depth of 150 feet. He retains 50 feet of this at the corner and will improve it soon with a building to cost $75,000. The name of the buyer of the other lot is not announced.

The Commonwealth Real Estate Company with Baldridge & Watson also disposed of the remaining frontage in the Singer plan of lots in Wood street, Wilkinsburg. The lot is 240x130 feet and brought acout $16,000. The buyer is a business man who has been very successful in building good houses. He will begin soon the erection of six houses to cost not less than $6,000 each, and be erected on lots 40x130 feet. The Singer plan was put on the market in 1900, and consisted of about 1,000 feet of frontage. The sale of the 240 feet at the north end of the plan at the corner of Grace street closes out the property, which has been one of the most successful small allotments ever put on around the city, 33 houses, costing from $6,000 to $8,000, having been erected on the property already.

Bellevue House Brings $14,000.

One of the most attractive residence places in Bellevue was sold yesterday to Walter Kennedy, the railroad construction engineer, for about $14,000 through the Mortgage Banking Company. The property belonged to E. M. Butz and measures 100x150 feet on the northeast side of Irwin avenue, near Euclid avenue. The residence is a two-story and attic frame house of 14 rooms and two bath rooms, and is set in the midst of handsome grounds. The buyer will spend several thousand dollars in further improving the place preparatory to making it his home.

Frank McCann has leased to Frank J. Totten his four-story building on the north side of Fourth avenue, adjoining the Grand hotel, for five years at $3,600 a year. The place has been rented for a year or more to a harvesting company. Mr. Totten, a dealer in gas ranges and furnaces, is now located at 302 Wood street in one of the Thaw buildings, which are to be razed to give place to an eight-story structure in the spring.

Through the office of Warren & Gray the property of L. T. Yoder on the south side of Third avenue, near Smithfield street, has been sold for $128,000. The lot is 39.8x80 feet, and is improved with buildings which are assessed at only $11,000. The property is directly in the rear of the Kaufmann holdings and several buyers were in the market for it.

A number of very choice small allotments are being got ready for market on the north side and one of the best of these is the Rupert Park plan of the Lawton Real Estate Company, which was formerly known as the old Watson farm. It lies in the loop of the Watson boulevard, and was bought about a year ago. The work of plotting it has been completed and arrangements are now being made to pave Pleasant avenue for 1,300 feet. Delaware avenue has already been paved for a like distance. The property overlooks Riverview park and has been subdivided into 56 lots, ranging in width from 40 to 60 feet. No houses will be allowed on the plan to cost less than $5,000, and other building restrictions assure a good grade of improvements.

Latest News in Building.

Architects McCullom & Dowler will take bids in about a week on the big annex to the Colonial hotel at Penn avenue and Sixth street. The proposed structure will be 12 stories high and will cost about $250,000.

Architect F. J. Osterling is taking bids on a warehouse, 70x80 feet, to be built for Duncan & Porter in Morgan street, Allegheny.

Architects Alden & Harlow have plans for one of the residences which Willis L. McCook will build at Fifth and Amberson avenues.

Architects Dean & Stophlet are preparing plans for remodeling the Union National Bank building at McKeesport, to cost $25,000.

Plans are being drawn by Architect Simeon B. Eisendrath for the three-story brick hospital building to be erected by the Hebrew Ladies' Aid society in Reed street, at an approximate cost of $60,000.

T. S. Bamford will build a fine residence in Perrysville avenue, near Dunlap avenue, Allegheny, from plans by Architects Allison & Allison.

Architects S. C. Richards & Co. of Braddock have plans for 10 houses and three store-and-apartment buildings to be erected for Andrew Wargo in Washington street, Braddock. They are also taking bids on seven brick houses and a store, apartment and lodge building for Henry Sherner in Eleventh street, Braddock. They also have plans for an apartment building for H. Arkovitz in Wilmerding.

Otis B. Lane is taking sub bids on 35 frame houses to be built in Virginia avenue, Thirty-ninth ward.

J. B. Lesher is taking sub bids on a four-story brick apartment building to be erected in South avenue, Wilkinsburg, at a cost of $16,000.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Wilkinsburg: R. S. Faris & Co., by their agent, T. W. Irwin, sold for W. W. Black to R. A. Broomfield an 11-room buff brick house on 40x116 feet on the west side of East End avenue, near Juniata street, Wilkinsburg, for $8,500. The same company sold for A. V. Brown to A. H. Hite an eight-room brick house on 25x120 feet on the west side of East End avenue, near Biddle street, Wilkinsburg, for $4,400.

Allegheny: A. Z. Byers & Co. sold for Herman Flechsig to Margaret Sauers, 1227 Palo Alto street, Second ward, Allegheny, a two-story brick house with all modern improvements, on 20x110 feet, for $7,600.

Allegheny: A. H. Wilson has been appointed agent for the properties of Guckenheimer Brothers in Western and Kentucky avenues, Fifth ward, Allegheny.

Dewey avenue: The Mortgage Banking Company sold for the Lawton Real Estate Company to E. R. Brooks a two-story frame house on 25x100 feet in Dewey avenue for $2,500. Also to M. McMillen, 97x110 feet in Broadway avenue, West Liberty, for $1,000.

Evaline street: The Land Trust Company, by its agent, Thomas Travis, sold for James E. Simons of the house to Benjamin Hirch, 203 Evaline street, a 10-room buff brick house on 37x100 feet, for $8,000. The buyer will occupy the place as a home.

Herron avenue: George Brothers sold to F. H. Floyd to Joseph C. Trapp, 44x77.5 feet on the south side of Herron avenue, near Lyons street, Thirteenth ward, for $2,400.

Colwell street: The Aronson Realty Company sold for M. Epstein to W. H. Hock, 283 and 285 Colwell street, Eleventh ward, two brick houses on 40x100 feet, for $4,100. The seller netted $800 on the deal after holding the property eight months.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Tuesday, February 21, 1905.

Cattle—Supply fair and market slow; choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 40@5 65; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 80@5 15; tidy, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs, $4 50@4 85; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $3 00@4 00; heifers, $3 00@4 25; fat cows, $2 00@4 00; bulls, $2 50@4 00; good fresh cows, $35@48; common to fair, $20@30.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light and market slow; prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $6 50@6 75; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $6 00@6 50; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $5 40@5 90; culls and common, $3 00@4 00; lambs, $6 00@8 85; veal calves, $8 00@8 75; heavy and thin, $4 50@5 50.

Hogs—Receipts light and market strong, with prices a shade higher; prime heavy, $5 25; medium, $5 35@5 40; heavy Yorkers, $5 30@5 35; light Yorkers, $5 15@5 20; pigs, $4 90@5 00; roughs, $4 00@4 60; stags, $3 00@3 75.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,500 head, including 100 head southern; market steady, strong; choice export and dressed beef steers, $4 90@5 65; fair to good, $4 75@4 85; western fed steers, $3 75@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 25; southern steers, $2 25@4 50; southern cows, $2 25@3 25; native cows, $1 75@4 10; native heifers, $2 50@4 50; bulls, $2 50@3 75; calves, $3 00@6 75. Hogs—Receipts, 14,000 head; market 5@10c higher; tops, $4 95; bulk of sales, $4 70@4 90; packers, $4 85@4 95; packers, $4 75@4 90; pigs and lights, $4 05@4 80. Sheep—Receipts, 11,000 head; market 10@15c lower; native lambs, $7 00@7 80; native wethers, $5 00@5 75; native ewes, $4 75@5 25; western fed lambs, $7 00@7 80; western fed yearlings $2 65@6 80; western fed sheep, $4 75@5 75; stockers and feeders, $3 50@5 50.

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 6,500 head; market steady; good to prime steers, $5 25@5 75; poor to medium, $4 00@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 40; cows, $1 25@4 50; heifers, $2 00@5 00; canners, $1 35@2 75; bulls $2 00@4 25; calves, $3 50@7 75. Hogs—Receipts, 28,000 head; market steady; mixed and butchers, $4 70@4 95; good to choice heavy, $4 92½@5 00; rough heavy, $4 70@4 85; light, $4 75@4 85; bulk of sales, $4 75@4 95. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head; market 10c lower; good to choice wethers, $5 60@6 00; fair to choice mixed, $4 50@5 35; native lambs, $6 90@8 15.

FINANCIAL AND TRADE NOTES.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $751,856; government receipts from internal revenue, $259,154; customs, $826,141; miscellaneous, $24,541; expenditures, $1,550,000.

EGGS DROPPING WITH THE WARM WEATHER

Butter Dealers Predict Another Heavy Advance in Price Next Week.

Eggs are on the sliding board and the warm weather seems to have effectually checked their tendency toward the high figures. Yesterday they were down to 34@35c and there were plenty of buyers who held off for something lower. There is every prospect that a steady decline is in store for them. Egg dealers were studying the weather maps yesterday and could see no reason to believe that another cold snap would stiffen up the market.

While eggs are going down butter is again threatening an advance. Butter dealers are predicting another 2 or 3 cents to be added to the price next Monday, as the market in New York and Chicago is very strong and prices have advanced materially there.

Flour made no move yesterday and is not likely to under the uncertain condition of the wheat market. That the wheat deal is simply a speculative corner has become apparent to even the most trusting, and millers are not willing to risk much on it. Neither are the buyers willing to stock up heavily. They are all content to buy from day to day, rather than get caught with a lot of high priced flour in a falling market. Few flour dealers think there will be a drop, however. They say wheat will not be any lower for a couple of months and that flour is bound to go up again.

In the green goods line there was more business yesterday than for several days. The warm weather made it possible to put goods out on the sidewalk, and this seemed to attract buyers. There was more life on the street than there has been since the first great blizzard.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania, 3 cars feed, 2 cars straw, 1 cars oats, 1 car corn, 6 cars hay; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 4 cars hay, 2 cars oats; Baltimore & Ohio, 7 cars hay, 1 car hay and grain, 3 cars oats, 1 car straw.

Only one car of corn was received yesterday, the lightest receipts of that grain which have been recorded for some months. It is much stronger than it has been for several weeks, owing to the light receipts and sharp demand. All other lines held firm yesterday and no changes were recorded.

No. 1 timothy	$12.75@13.00
No. 2 "	$11.25@11.75
No. 1 clov.	$12.75@13.00
No. 1 mix.	$12.25@12.50
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat	$7.50@7.75
do wheat	$8.00@8.25
do rye	$11.75@12.25
No. 2 white oats	35½@35¾c
No. 3 oats	35¼@35½c
No. 4 oats	34½@34¾c
White middlings	No. 1, ton, $22.00@22.50
No. 2 middlings	$21.00@21.50
do brown	$19.50@20.00
Bran, ton	$18.50@19.75
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill	$1.08@1.09
New yellow shelled	50¼@50½c
New high mixed	48½@49c
New yellow ear	52@52½c
No. 2 rye, western	90½@91c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	14@16c	Squab, doz.	$4.00
do roosters	9@10c	do No. 2	$3.75
do turkeys	17@18c	Ducks, ruddy	$1.25
do geese	12@13c	do red head	$1.75@2.00
do ducks	14@16c	do canvas-back, pr	$2.75@3.00
do pigeons, doz	$1.00@1.25	Imit. golden plover, doz	$5.50
Dressed hens	16@17c	do black plover	$4.50
do roosters	11@12c	English pheasants, per pair	$3.25
do turkeys	20@27c	Reed birds, doz	$1.25
do spring chickens	17@18c	Rabbits, per lb	10@12c
do Long Island ducklings	20c	Suckling pigs, lb	10@12c
do ducks	20@22c	Pigeons, doz	50c@$1.00
do capon, lb	26@27c		

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Tomatoes, Fla., crate	$4.00@4.50	Radishes, long red, doz	35@50c
Shallots, bu	40@50c	do button, doz	50@60c
Carrots, doz	40@50c	Boston cucumbers, doz	$2.50@2.75
Fla. lettuce, ½-bbl hampers, fancy	$2.00@2.50	Strawberries, Fla., qts	60@75c
do choice	$1.50@1.75	Green peppers, crate	$3.00@3.50
Leeks, doz	50@65c	Rhubarb, choice	45@50c
Green beans, Fla., crates	$4.00@5.00	do fancy	55@60c
Spinach, doz	90c@$1.00	Parsley, doz	75@85c
Cuban tomatoes, crates	$3.00@3.50	New potatoes, crates	$1.75@2.25

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	9c
do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights	8c
No. 1 green bulls	6c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 80 lbs	11c
do No. 2	9c
Cows and lig't hides	10c
Calfskin, No. 1	12c

GROCERIES.

Flour, Fancy sq. patent, quarters, to paper	$6.40@6.45	do 5-lb bags	6.40c
Fancy winter patent	$5.80@6.10	do pow'd xxxx	6.40c
Straight win	$5.50@5.60	do loaf	6.50c
Dfr	$4.80@4.70	do cubes	6.60c
Graham, 10-lb bags	$2.60	do cut, A	6.10c
Cornmeal, bbl	$3.60@4.25	do No. 1 yellow	5.90c
Buckwheat	$2.80	do No. 2 yellow	5.80c
Rolled oats, bbl	$3.60	Beans.	
do kegs	$2.10	Navy, choice H. P.	$2.60@2.10
Roasted Coffee.		Red kidney	$3.00@3.10
Rio	14@14½c	Cal. lima, lb	5½@5½c
Santos	280@24c	Peas, dried, bu	$1.10@1.15
Maracaibo	15½@16c	do split, lb	6½c
Peaberry	18@18½c	do marrowfat, bu	$2.00@2.10
Golden Rio	17½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11c
Caracas	20@20½c	do headlight	11½c
Standard, pkgs	13.50c	do water white	12c
High grade	18½@19½c	do White W.	15c
Molasses, fancy refined	35@36c	do Elaine	15½c
do choice	31@34c	Miners' oil, special brands	20@23c
do open ket	37@38c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
Syrup.		do fancy	5½c
Fancy syrup	28@30c	Japan	5½@5¾c
Maple sugar, gal	$1.00	do choice Carolina	4½@5¼c
Sug. and cane	24@25c	Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
Prime	24@25c	do No. 2 extra	$1.20
Sugar cure, ham, doz	$1.90	do gran rock	75c
do bacon, doz	$1.50	do pocket	$1.50@1.90
5-lb cans, doz	$1.20	do dairy	$1.40
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40	Lentils, fancy "G. C." lb	5@6c
Maple, gal	75c@$1.00	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$5.00
Oatmeal, bbl	$4.30	do 10-gal keg	$2.00
do kegs	$2.30		
Sugar cure, ham	13½c		
do bacon	9.25c		
do 2-lb carton	6.40c		

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu, store	50@55c	Spinach, bu	35@50c
Jersey sweets, klib dried, do	$4.00@4.25	Honey, new	14@15c
do hamp's	$1.65@1.75	Extra fancy	16c
do crates	$1.50@1.60	do Miller's, bu	18½c
do bu	$1.00@1.10	Beets, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Spanish, per crate	$1.75@1.85	do bu	40c
do Havana, crates	$1.00@2.00	Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Carrots, bbl	$1.50@1.75	Eggplant, Florida, crates	$3.00@3.50
do hamp're	90c@$1.00	Squash, marrow, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Parsnips, bbl	$1.50@1.75	do Hubbard, bbl	$1.75@2.00
Cabbage, domestic, bbl	75c@$1.00	Rutabagas	$1.10@1.25
do ton	$11.00@12.00	Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
do Savoy, bbl	$1.25@1.50	Cauliflower, Cal., crates	$2.50@3.00
do German seed, ton	$15.00@16.00	Garlic, lb	7@8c
do bbl	$1.00@1.25	Cranberries, per crate	$2.75@3.00
do Cal. celery	$5.00@6.00	Horseradish, bbl	8@10c
do Golden Heart, crate	$4.25@4.50	do barrels	$5.00@5.50
Brussels sprouts, quart	12½@13c	Watercress, doz	45@50c
		Lettuce, baskets	30@35c
		do boxes	40@50c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Mich., carlots	38@40c	Sweets, K. D. Jersey, bbl	$3.75@4.00
do bu	42@45c	do crate	$1.50@1.40
do Ohio, carlots	42@45c	Ruta'gas, bu	30@35c
do	45@50c	Carrots, ton	$15.00@16.00
Cabbage, G. seed, ton	$13.00@14.00	Parsnips, ton	$18.00@20.00
do domestic, ton	$8.00@8.50	Turnips, bbl	$2.00@2.25
do Savoy, bbl	$1.00@1.50	Beets, bbl	$1.50@1.75
Apples, fancy, bbl	$2.25@3.25	Celery, Cal., Golden Heart	$4.00@4.25
do choice, bbl	$1.25@1.50	Onions, bbl	$2.50@2.40
do bulk, bbl	$1.00@1.25	do bu	85@90c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$2.75@3.00	Tangerines, Fla box	$4.00@4.50
Orange, Florida	$2.50@2.75	do ½ box	$2.25@2.50
Navel	$2.25@2.75	Malaga grapes	$5.00@6.00
Cocoanuts, bags	$3.50@4.00	Grape fruit	$4.00@4.50
do doz	65@75c	Apples, fancy, Kings, bbl	$3.75@4.25
Figs, cartons	75@80c	do Baldwin	$2.50@3.00
do Lemon Island	8@12c	do Fallisdes (C. O.) box	$2.25
do washed, stuffed, doz	$2.25	do other varieties	$2.50@3.00
Dates, stuffed	18c	Choice	$1.50@2.25
Bananas 1st	$1.80@2.00	Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
do 2nds	$1.60@1.50		
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes	$4.50@5.00		
do red Spanish	$2.75@3.00		

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	37@37½c
Tubs	30½@31c
Ohio, creamery	34@35½c
Dairy	28½@29½c
Renovated	29@30c
Cheese, N. Y., full crm, new	13½@14c
do Ohio crm	13½@14c
do ¾ cream, new	12@12½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs	15@15½c
do block	14½@15c
do 5-lb bags	6.40c
do pow'd xxxx	6.40c
do loaf	6.50c
do cubes	6.60c
do cut, A	6.10c
do No. 1 yellow	5.90c
do No. 2 yellow	5.80c
Beans.	
Navy, choice H. P.	$2.60@2.10
Red kidney	$3.00@3.10
Cal. lima, lb	5½@5½c
Peas, dried, bu	$1.10@1.15
do split, lb	6½c
do marrowfat, bu	$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11c
do headlight	11½c
do water white	12c
do White W.	15c
do Elaine	15½c
Miners' oil, special brands	20@23c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
do fancy	5½c
Japan	5½@5¾c
do choice Carolina	4½@5¼c
Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.10
do No. 2 extra	$1.20
do gran rock	75c
do pocket	$1.50@1.90
do dairy	$1.40
Lentils, fancy "G. C." lb	5@6c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask	$5.00
do 10-gal keg	$2.00

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, stds	90c@$1.00	Gooseberries	85@90c
do pie gal	$2.60@3.00	Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.25
do California, L. C	$2.00@2.35	do standard	70@80c
do California, Y. P	$1.90@2.25	do gal	$2.20@2.35
Corn, fancy	$1.10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
do std	$1.00@1.20	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc	75@85c
Cherries, Cal., white	$1.95@2.75	Salmon, des	95c@$2.00
Limabeans	$1.25@1.45	do red, 1-lb flats	$1.60@1.70
do soaked	75@85c	1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
String beans, 2-lb	70c	do pink, 1-lb flats	$1.50@2.10
do 3-lb	95c	Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.00@2.45
Peas, marrowfat	85@90c	do 1-lb cans	$1.50@1.85
do early June	60c@$1.00	Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
do soaked	55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s	$3.15@3.30
Plums, California	$1.40@1.60	do mustards, ¼s	$2.00
Pineapples	$1.25@2.50	do French, ¼s	$6.00@18.50
Raspberries	85@95c		

PROVISIONS

Hams.		Breakfast bacon,	
16 lbs and up	9½c	back strips	9¾c
Over 14 to 16 lbs	9¾c	Dry salt sides, extra	
Over 10 to 14 lbs	10c	short clears	7½c
10 lbs and under	10¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	7¾c
Skinned	10¼c	do 16 to 20 lbs	8c
Boneless boiled	14½c	do under 16 lbs	8c
California	7c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra	
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c	short clears	8½c
do skinned	8¾c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	10½c	do 16 to 20 lbs	9c
do 10 to 12 lbs	9½c	do under 16 lbs	9c
do 12 to 14 lbs	9c	Lard, pure, tierces	7¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	10½c		
do 10 to 12 lbs	10½c		

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl	$28.00	Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl	$16.50
do half bbl	$11.50	do half bbl	$8.50
do quar bbl	$6.00	do quar bbls	$4.75
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl	$20.00	do 20-lb pails	$3.90
do half bbls	$10.50	do 10-lb pails	$2.00
do quar bbls	$6.00	do No. 2 Irish, bbl	$5.00
do 20-lb pails	$2.40	$0-lb tubs	$5.00
do 10-lb pails	$1.15	Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.40
		do 40-lb	$1.35
		do 10-lb	85c

NUTS.

Filberts	11@12c	do fancy, lb	8@9c
Eng. walnuts	12@18c	do dried Italian, lb	7c
do dom	90c@$1.00	Shellbarks, bu	$1.50@1.75
S. S. almonds	16@17c	do new	$1.75@2.00
Terr. almonds	15c	Pecans	10c
Mixed	9@11c	Peanuts, fancy roasted	$1.60
Brazil	9@11c	do choice	$1.20
Italian chestn'ts	9@10c		
do domestic, choice, lb	8@9c		

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., halfs	10½@14½c	Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown	$1.80
do 25-lb boxes	11@15c	do loose	6@6¼c
Apples, bulk	5@6½c	do Ondaria	6c
do 1-lb cartons	6½@8½c	Val	7½@7¾c
Peaches	11@12½c	do Cal. Val	7@7½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb bags	6½@7½c	Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs	6¼@7c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small	$7.75@7.95	Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
do mammoth	$7.85@7.95	Southern	$1.75@1.80
do alsike	$7.50@8.00	Grass, Hungarian	90c@$1.00
do crimson	$4.50@4.75	do lawn, lb	1@2½c
do white	$6.00@6.25	do blues, 14-lb bu	$1.25@1.50
Dutch	$9.75@11.50	do red top, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.60
Alsike	$8.50@9.25	Timothy	$1.40@4.50
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00		

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 21.—Interest in the local wool market is divided between the foreign grades which are now from necessity in the principal demand, and in the domestic wools, which are nearly exhausted. There is some talk of lower prices, the market now being steady but it is considered doubtful if these will develop. Pulled wools are in good demand. There is little trading in territory wools, but prices hold steady. The leading quotations follow: Ohio and Pennsylvania, xx and above, 31@32c; x, 30@31c; No. 1, 28@31c; No. 2, 34@39c; fine unwashed, 24@25c; unmerchantable, 27@28c; quarter blood, unwashed, 31@32c; three-eighths blood, unwashed, 32@33c; half blood, 30@31c; unwashed delaine, 27@28c; fine washed delaine, 37@37½c; Michigan, fine unwashed, 21@22c; quarter blood, unwashed, 31c; three-eighths blood, 31c; half blood, 29@30c; unwashed delaine, 25@26c. Kentucky, Indiana, etc., three-eighths and quarter blood, 30@31c. Territory: Idaho, fine, 18½@19c; heavy fine, 16@17c; fine medium, 18½@19c; medium, 22@23c; low medium, 23@24c; Wyoming, fine, 17½@18½c; heavy fine, 15@16c; fine medium, 17½@18c; medium, 23@24c; low medium, 23@24c. Utah and Nevada, fine, 17@19c; heavy fine, 15@16c; fine medium, 17½@18c; medium, 23@23c; low medium, 23@24c. Dakota, fine, 18@19c; fine medium, 18@19c; medium, 23@24c; low medium, 23@24c. Montana, fine choice, 21@22c; fine average, 19@20c; fine medium choice, 21@22c; average, 19@20c; staple, 22@23c; medium, choice, 24@24c.

BAD COUNTRY ROADS HELP WHEAT MARKET

Decrease in Primary Receipts from Farms Causes Cereal to Advance.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 21.—Decrease in primary receipts due largely to impassable country roads, caused a net advance of ⅞@1⅛c today in prices for wheat. Corn shows a gain of ⅝@¾c over the first price, and oats are unchanged to ⅝c higher.

Strength in the wheat market developed soon after the opening. At the start the market was materially affected by a decline at Liverpool, said to be caused by larger offerings from Argentina. Initial quotations on May were unchanged to ⅛c lower, at $1 15@1 15⅛. July sales were unchanged to ⅛c lower at $1 01⅛@1 01⅜. Trading was confined largely to the July delivery, although some covered May on all slight declines. The demand for July at times was of such a character as to suggest that the market was receiving support from a prominent bull trader. As the news advanced sentiment in the pit became more bullish. Little improvement, however, was noted in the volume of business. Market falling off in primary receipts had a strengthening influence during the last part of the day. Strength of corn helped stimulate a demand for wheat. Statistics of the world's visible supply proved a disappointment to the bulls. Bradstreet's report showing a decrease of only 72,000 bushels, as against a decrease of 3,544,000 bushels a year ago. The price, however, reached the highest point of the day just before the close. May sold at 61 15⅜, and July at $1 01⅞. The market finished strong with May at the top, $1 15⅝. Final quotations on July were at $1 01⅜@1 01⅝. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 53,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 369,000 bushels, compared with 1,121,000 (two days) a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 200 cars, against 528 cars last week and 760 cars a year ago.

Shorts were fairly active bidders for corn, and in consequence the market gained in strength as trading progressed. The main cause of the renewed activity on shorts was a rumor that, owing to the failure of a reduction in freight rates to increase the movement of corn, former rates were soon to be restored. A decrease of 120,000 bushels in the visible supply, as compared with an increase of 2,190,000 bushels last year, was an additional bullish influence. The market closed practically at the highest point of the day. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 40⅛@40⅜c to 40⅝c, sold up to 41c and closed at 40⅞c. Local receipts were 314 cars, none of contract grade.

A firm undertone prevailed in the oats market the entire day. Traders were bullishly inclined owing to a rumor of the restoration of former freight rates, which would tend to check the free movement of the grain. The absence of large receivers, or "shorts." Some of the more timid shorts covered. May opened unchanged at 34⅜c, advanced to 34¾c and closed at 34¼c. Local receipts were 99 cars.

Early in the session an easy tone was manifested in provisions, owing to easing by commission houses, but later, as a result of strength of corn, shorts covered moderately, causing a firmer undertone. At the close May pork was up 5c at $12 82½; lard was up 2½@5c at $6 92½@6 95. Ribs were unchanged at $6 32½. Estimated receipts for Thursday: Wheat 72 cars; corn, 178 cars; oats, 97 cars; hogs, 44,000 head.

The leading futures as reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
May	1 18⅝	1 19½	1 18⅝	1 19⅛	1 18⅝
July	1 01¼	1 01⅝	1 01¼	1 01⅜	1 01¼
Sept	92⅛	92½	92⅛	92⅜	92⅛
CORN					
No. 2.					
Feb				44½	43⅝
May	46⅝	47	46⅝	46⅞	46⅝
July	47	47⅛	47	47⅛	47
Sept.	47¼	47¾	47¼	47¾	47¼
OATS					
No. 2.					
Feb				30½	30¼
May	30⅞	31⅜	30⅞	31¼	30⅝
July	31⅝	31	30⅝	31	30⅝
Sept.	29⅝	29⅝	29⅛	29⅜	29
MESS PORK					
Feb.				12 82½	12 80
May	12 77½	12 85	12 77½	12 82½	12 77½
July	12 92½	12 97½	12 90	12 97½	12 90
LARD					
Feb.				6 77½	6 72½
May	6 90	6 95	6 87½	6 92½	6 85
July	7 05	7 05	7 00	7 05	7 02½

Visible Supply of Grain.

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Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 15 to 15 points in response to lower Rio-Para cables, continued fair Brazilian reports and a cable from Havre to the effect that a noted Brazilian authority reported larger stocks in the interior at Santos than expected and estimating the current Santos crop at 1,750,000 bags. There was a fair demand at the decline, which carried the market to the lowest level reached since the high point of the year. Closing bids were 15 to 20 points lower than the market somewhat than was a net decline of about 5 to 10 points. The close, however, while steady, was net 5 to 15 points lower. Sales were reported of 128,250 bags, including March at 6.60c; May at 6.70c; July at 7.80@7.85c; September at 7.90@7.95c; October at 7.95c. December at 8.00@7.95c; January at 7.80@7.75c. Spot Rio quiet; 7 to 9 points lower; mild quiet; Cordova, 10@11c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4¼c; centrifugal 96 test, 5c; molasses sugar, 4¼c; refined steady.

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Erie Railroad to Take Another Official from the B. & O. R. R.

Just as rapidly as the Baltimore & Ohio railroad secured officials from the Pennsylvania system is the Erie railroad taking away officials from the Baltimore & Ohio. When the Pennsylvania, through purchase, got control of the Baltimore & Ohio, officials of the P

SENATE AND HOUSE PASS MEASURE

Former the Military Academy Bill and Latter the Philippine Tariff Act.

RETURN OF FLAGS AUTHORIZED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The senate today passed the military academy appropriation bill and began consideration of the Indian appropriation bill. An amendment places Senator Hawley, whose term will expire March 4, on the retired list as brigadier general.

The senate took up the isthmian canal bill and agreed to meet an hour earlier tomorrow in order to advance the bill.

Ex-Senator Higgins finished his preliminary statement in opening the defense for Judge Swayne and one witness for Judge Swayne was examined. Mr. Hall presented an order for a vote at 4 p. m. Saturday and asked that it go over until tomorrow.

Mr. Teller expressed the opinion that the ownership of the Panama railroad would be construed as a precedent for government ownership, and said that the ownership by the government of all the railroads in the United States would present a condition "frightful to contemplate."

Mr. Bailey also objected to the acquisition of the railroad by the government, but said that if the government really wanter the road it should be condemned outright. He said he did not believe in government ownership of public utilities. "But," he added, "if we are going into that business at all, we should go into it in the United States and not elsewhere."

During the day the senate passed the bill making it a misdemeanor to present false evidence relative to second class matter.

The house today passed the Philippine tariff bill, practically as it came from the committee and but with little discussion. There was no especial opposition to it, although amendments coming from the Democratic side, designed to put certain products on the free list, met with defeat. An effort to prohibit the importation of opium into the islands except for medical purposes also failed although Mr. Payne (N. Y.) explained that the Philippine commission was dealing with the subject in its own way.

Immediately after the Philippine tariff bill was disposed of the house took up the river and harbor appropriation bill, but it was soon laid aside and several measures were passed, the most important of which was the authorization given the secretary of war to return to the several states union and confederate battle flags.

PRESIDENT TO RECEIVE COLLEGE DEGREE

U. of P. Will Also Honor Senator Knox, D. T. Watson and the German Emperor.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—President Roosevelt will go to Philadelphia tomorrow to deliver a Washington's birthday address before the student body of the University of Pennsylvania and to receive at the hands of the regents of the institution the degree of doctor of laws. At the same time, the degree will be conferred upon Emperor William of Germany, Ambassador Sternberg being present to receive the degree as the personal representative of the emperor, and Senator Knox and Attorney D. T. Watson of Pittsburgh.

The president will leave Washington at 7:40 a. m. via the Pennsylvania railroad, arriving at Philadelphia about 11 o'clock. He will be accompanied by Baron Sternberg, the German ambassador, and Baroness Sternberg, Postmaster General Wynne, Senator Knox, Secretary Loeb and M. A. Latta. The party will travel in a private car attached to a regular train.

At Philadelphia the president and party will be escorted directly to the University of Pennsylvania, where the exercises of the day will take place. At the conclusion of these the president and party will be conducted to the armory of the First troop, city cavalry, where they will be the guests of the troop at luncheon. The president will leave for Washington about 3:30 p. m., arriving here shortly before 7 o'clock.

GIFT OF FRANCE GIVEN PLACE IN CAPITOL

Bronze Bust of Washington Is to Be Unveiled in Rotunda Today.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A bronze bust of Washington, a replica of the original in marble by David De Angers, which was destroyed in a fire in the quarters of the library of congress in 1851, was put in place in the rotunda of capitol today, and will be unveiled tomorrow at 11 o'clock. The replica, like the original, is the gift of the citizens of France.

It will be presented by the French ambassador, J. J. Jusserand, in exercises to be held after the unveiling in the president's room in the senate wing of the capitol. The pedestal on which the bust is mounted contains a receptacle into which the French ambassador will place papers giving a history of the bust, after which the receptacle will be sealed up. The bust arrived at the capitol about a year ago but has just been assigned a place.

UNIVERSITY COLLECTION.

Contributions from Churches for Catholic University Will Reach About $3,700.

While all the returns from parishes in which the collection for the benefit of the Catholic university was taken up are not all in, it is estimated by the chancellor of the Pittsburgh diocese that the total amount will reach about $3,700. The collection was taken recently in all the parishes in the United States to aid in replacing the large fund lost some months ago by the university.

Bishop Canevin has gone to New Orleans, where he will remain a couple of weeks. Next Sunday the bishop will consecrate an altar in the Holy Name of Mary church in New Orleans.

Arrangements are being made for a big mass meeting and parade of Catholic societies which will be held in Allegheny Carnegie hall from May 21 to 24. The speakers will be Bishop Canevin, the Very Rev. Joseph Schrembs of Grand Rapids, Mich., and the Rev. Father Alexander von Ascherbach, a prominent Jesuit father. Pontifical high mass will be celebrated in St. Mary's church, Allegheny, during the convention period, and Father Ascherbach will preach the sermon.

CONFERENCES ARRANGED.

Builders' League and Trade Unions are Slowly Reaching a Settlement.

The fight between the Builders' exchange league and organized workmen is slowly being adjusted. It was announced yesterday that a conference had been arranged between the Master Builders' association and the Brotherhood of Carpenters, to be held today. Tomorrow the bricklayers will hold a conference with the master bricklayers. These are two of the strongest trades in the building industry.

E. J. Deltrich, secretary of the Builders' league, has resigned. He has been secretary since the league was organized, about three years ago. He resigned over a month ago, but on account of a misunderstanding his resignation was not accepted until yesterday.

Rockefeller is Not Ill.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—(Special.)—William G. Rockefeller, who was reported falsely in Wall street yesterday, to have been taken suddenly ill at his office and to have been assisted to a cab by two men, was at his office today attending to business as usual and said that he was in good health.

YOUNG INDORSED BY THE SENATORS

Request Governor to Appoint Him Judge—No Selection for District Attorney.

ORD ORDERED TO PITTSBURGH

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21.

Senators Knox and Penrose have indorsed United States District Attorney James S. Young for appointment by the governor to the common pleas bench of Allegheny county to succeed Judge Elliott B. Rodgers, resigned. This statement was confirmed upon good authority here today and it is believed that it means the appointment of Mr. Young. The senators have not yet considered the selection of a man for the district attorneyship and will not until a vacancy in that office actually exists. Mr. Young is a close personal friend of Senator Knox of many years' standing, and it was Mr. Knox, as attorney general, who appointed him to his federal position. Senator Penrose readily joined with Senator Knox in the request to the governor for Mr. Young's appointment. There are a number of federal offices to be considered and nominations for them made during this year, but the senators have not yet made any decisions concerning them, and probably will not make any recommendations for some time.

A favorable report has been made by the finance committee of the senate on a bill for the reissuing of a check to the Monongahela Iron and Steel Company for $3,445. The check was in payment for an anchor chain, but was lost by the paymaster of the navy department.

Upon the recommendation of Representative Hughes four new postoffices have been established in West Virginia. They are: Calico, Logan county, E. M. Brown, postmaster; Range, Wyoming county, George B. Laxton, postmaster; McCreary, Raleigh county, James Clay, postmaster; Sand Creek, A. E. Wagner, postmaster.

Representative Hughes also recommended the following postoffice appointments: Jeff Simpson, Mary, Wayne county; E. S. Crockett, vice J. D. Brewster, Cucumber, McDowell county; R. E. Barrett, vice J. T. Danell, Dry Creek, Raleigh county; D. D. Wallace, Stone Coal, Wayne county; B. F. Curry, vice Dr. W. W. Baker, Hamlin, Lincoln county.

A number of army officers now on recruiting detail have been relieved of this work and will be ordered to rejoin their commands, their places to be taken by officers from the retired list. The following are among the retired officers detailed for general recruiting service: Major James C. Ord, at Pittsburgh; Major Samuel T. Hamilton, at Harrisburg; Major William H. H. Crowell, at Scranton; Capt. Robert G. Carter, at Parkersburg, W. Va.

EQUITABLE WINS SUIT.

Test Case in Wisconsin Courts Ends in Decision Favoring Insurance Company.

MADISON, WIS., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—The test case by the Equitable Life Assurance society on behalf of the foreign insurance companies doing business in the state of Wisconsin, has resulted in a signal victory through the decision handed down by the supreme court of Wisconsin today reversing the decision of the Dane county circuit court in favor of Commissioner Host. The question involved the construction of section 1952 of the revised statutes, the commissioner maintaining that the word "may" as used in the statute should be construed as mandatory and that the issuance of deferred dividend policies was prohibited by the statute as thus construed. The supreme court holds that the statute is permissive; that the Equitable has not violated the law in issuing deferred dividend policies, and that the latter form of policy, which constitutes 75 to 80 per cent of all the insurance written, is valid and not in conflict with any provision of law. This marks the end of one of the most interesting and important cases in life insurance for many years. The case was presented on behalf of the society by J. G. Flanders, D. T. Watson and Bainbridge Colby, of Alexander & Colby, counsel for the society in New York. The commissioner of insurance was represented by the attorney general of Wisconsin.

CAWLEY FUNERAL PRIVATE.

Remains of Young Inventor Will Be Buried This Morning.

After the celebration of requiem high mass by the Rev. J. J. Bullion of St. Mary Magdalen's Roman Catholic church this morning, the remains of Charles Cawley will be buried in the plot in St. Mary Magdalen's cemetery where lie the bodies of his mother, three sisters and brother, for whose tragic death he was confined in the Allegheny county jail for two years.

The funeral will be private in compliance with the wishes of the family, who have suffered much notoriety. Cawley was released from jail on probation the day before Christmas, but soon wasted away, owing to an acute attack of pulmonary tuberculosis.

BOX OF QUAIL WILL COST HIM $30,000

SIOUX CITY, IA., Feb. 21.—Just as Herman Beck, a wealthy farmer, was unloading several boxes containing 3,600 quail at the railroad station in Elk Point, S. D., today, State Game Warden James Holiday appeared. Beck fled, leaving the quail behind. The fine for having quail out of season is $10 a bird. This would make the total fine against Beck $30,000, which Game Warden Holiday says Beck will have to pay.

Delegates to Support McArdle.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—According to reports among the Amalgamated association members the majority of delegates from this valley to the May convention at Detroit will be for P. J. McArdle, vice president of the third district, to succeed Shaffer. The other leading candidate is M. F. Tighe, assistant secretary of the association. It is said that McArdle has the west and Tighe the east in the way of support.

COMMONS REJECT REDMOND'S PLEA

Defeat Irish Leader's Amendment to Reply to Speech from the Throne.

PREMIER BALFOUR IS HOOTED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Feb. 21.—John Redmond's amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne was defeated in the house of commons tonight by a vote of 286 to 236, after an exhaustive debate occupying two days and affording an opportunity to representatives of the several parties and factions to express their views on the Irish situation.

The amendment declared, in effect, that "the present system of government (of Ireland) is opposed to the will of the Irish people." The net result of the debate showed that all agreed that the present system of government of Ireland is unsatisfactory, but there was a distinct disagreement concerning methods by which discontent might be abated and Ireland cease to be a disturbing element in the politics of the United Kingdom. At the opening of the discussion today John Dillon and Timothy Healy supported the amendment.

W. S. Kenyon-Slaney (Independent-Conservative) directed his speech against home rule. In the course of his remarks Mr. Kenyon-Slaney referred to the claim of Irish Americans that they had killed the Anglo-American arbitration treaty. Mr. Healy replying on this point said:

"God bless the Irish in America. They are faithful to their country, regardful of its interests and are determined that if you make a treaty of peace with the United States it shall be abiding and lasting."

Mr. Healy bitterly assailed the Ulster Unionists and eloquently appealed to the conservative party to concede the wishes of the Nationalists in the interest of imperial policy.

Premier Balfour, in winding up the debate, said every Unionist, and every one of his ministers agreed that the broad lines now existing as to the government of Ireland were not lines that should be preserved.

Beyond these expressions neither the leader of the opposition nor the premier committed themselves concerning home rule. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman supported Mr. Redmond's amendment in the division, but he was unable to secure the support of a sufficient number to achieve the real object of the amendment, namely, the defeat of the Unionist government.

The second day's debate brought out no striking speeches, and there was an absence of anything approaching the excitement that is frequently attendant on debates of the Irish question. Throughout the afternoon and night Sir Antony MacDonnell, Secretary Wyndham and the earl of Dudley were the chief centers around which the attack and defense turned. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman demanded the publication of the correspondence between Secretary Wyndham and MacDonnell and Mr. Balfour, who at considerable length defended MacDonnell and Wyndham, said he profoundly regretted the misunderstanding, but refused to entertain the suggestion that it touched in the smallest degree the honor of any of the principals concerned.

Mr. Balfour's speech was frequently interrupted by hooting from Irish members, and the speaker was obliged to intervene to request order, while Mr. Balfour, who calmly waited until the disturbance was completely over, on one occasion said that he was not being treated with the courtesy which had been extended to Irish members, and, referring to Lord Hugh Cecil's statement that home rule was dead, said that at least he could take the view that home rule was being buried decently. He viewed without fear the end of the battle, if the great party in favor of union remained undivided; but it was vital that all smaller controversies should be sunk in this great national and imperial issue.

The announcement of the division, showing an unexpectedly large reduction of the government's majority, was greeted with prolonged opposition and Irish cheers.

AUSTIN RECITES STORY OF ANDERSON'S DEATH

Claims Self-Defense, Weeps at Coroner's Hearing, and Is Held for Court Trial.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, Feb. 21.—Before being taken to the county jail to await trial on the charge of murder, Charles Austin, who last night shot and killed Charles E. Anderson, talked today for the first time since the tragedy. No one saw the shooting. Miss Clara Neth, the 17-year-old girl for whose hand the two were rivals, and Mrs. George E. Halebretter, at whose house the tragedy occurred, fled when signs of a quarrel appeared. Austin's statement follows:

"Anderson had often threatened to beat me, and he said he would kill me if he ever found me with Miss Neth. I was afraid of him and when he came to the house last night I went upstairs to avoid meeting him. He had said at the door that he wanted to get at me. I was prepared for him when he did start. Anderson knew I had an engagement with Miss Neth and he followed me when I started to meet her. Therefore, I think I did right in shooting him."

Austin wept bitterly when the warrant charging him with murder was read to him. Deputy Coroner J. E. Sims conducted the inquest this afternoon. A post-mortem examination showed that a 38-caliber bullet had pierced Anderson's heart and lodged against the backbone, causing instant death. The jury's verdict held Austin.

COURTSHIP OF 25 YEARS TRIUMPHS IN MARRIAGE

David E. Powell and Anna McDonald took out a marriage license yesterday which is the culmination of a courtship started in Wales 25 years ago. The parents of both opposed the marriage, owing to their youth, and they separated and drifted to America. Both have been married twice. In the case of Powell, both marriages were dissolved by death, while the bride lost one husband by death and secured a divorce from her second mate last September.

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VOTE OF CONFIDENCE IS GIVEN GROSSCUP

West Virginia House Rejects Report Censuring Speaker's Attitude on Gas Bill.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Feb. 21.—A very complimentary scene to Speaker Grosscup was enacted in the house today when the two reports of the committees investigating the allegations in the Elliott letter came up for action. The minority report censured Speaker Grosscup for acting "indiscreetly, to say the least" in his opposition to the gas bill relating to the transportation of gas out of the state. When the minority report came up Speaker Grosscup took exception to that part of the report. He stated he had not used his position as speaker to influence action on the bill. Following Speaker Grosscup's protest the house unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved that it is the sense of this house that the language used by the minority in its report regarding the speaker of this house is not justified and we hereby renew our confidence in the integrity and honesty of the Hon. Fred Paul Grosscup, speaker of the house."

The senate spent the whole day in considering to license tax bill. The old soldiers in the senate eliminated the provision which exempted them from the payment of the capitulation tax, saying they did not want to be classed among paupers, or as dependent upon charity.

Gov. White again vetoed the Philippi charter bill.

WANT A SQUARE DEAL.

Women Quote President Roosevelt in Protesting Against Husbands' Dower Rights Bill.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 21.—A score or more of women, representing mothers' clubs and other bodies, appeared before the assembly judiciary committee today in opposition to the Kavanaugh bill entitling a husband to a third dower interest in the property of a wife who dies intestate.

Mrs. Lillian Devereaux-Blake of New York, represented the New York legislative league. Emelie M. Bullowa, a New York attorney, cited President Roosevelt and said: "We want a square deal, no more; no less."

Murder Done at Slav Wedding.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—A murder Sunday morning at Briar Hill was reported to the county authorities today. The tragedy was the outcome of a Slavish wedding. Steve Gallata was knocked down and some one threw a keg of beer against his chest. Others trampled on him and kicked him until he died.

Hendricks Surrenders Himself.

BEAVER, PA., Feb. 21.—(Special.)—J. F. Hendricks, the news agent arrested last week on a forgery charge, tonight surrendered himself to the sheriff and asked to be locked up to await trial. He is accused of giving W. L. Reed a note for $900 to which the names of Pittsburgers were attached.

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NO RATE LEGISLATION, SAYS SENATOR ELKINS

Sounds the Death Knell for This Session—Carmack Waxes Sarcastic.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—What is considered as formal notice to the president and the country that there will be no rate legislation in the senate before final adjournment was made by Senator Elkins today in response to a question by Senator Berry as to the prospect of the passage of a bill. Senator Elkins said in substance what he has been saying to every inquirer since the president's message, that the committee was very much in earnest in the matter, had been holding continuous session, but that only one side had been heard. It was hardly probable, said he, that the senate could pass a bill now, even if the committee should report one.

Senator Carmack injected a little sarcasm and humor into the funeral knell when he said that there was such "joyous harmony in Senator Elkins' committee as to completely obliterate party lines."

"I might say," he continued, "that the entire committee seems to be stung by a desire to execute at the earliest possible moment the promises of the president of the United States to carry out the principles of the Democratic platform. I might go further and say—and I know that the distinguished chairman of the committee will correct me if I am wrong—that it seems to be the unanimous opinion of the committee that the president is now the foremost disciple and ablest lieutenant of William J. Bryan."

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